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**NO FRIEND OF THE MBTA** - Rocky Yentile stands in front of the Main Street building he owned until Friday, Aug. 27, the day the MBTA formally took five downtown properties. The lands will be razed, and rebuilt as a 224-space parking lot that will serve the expanded MBTA commuter rail station. (Frank Amato photo)

## Owners contest friendly taking

**BY: PAUL HAYES**  
WILMINGTON- Rocky Yentile supported the expansion of the MBTA commuter rail station, despite the fact it required him to sell a retail property he bought in 1972.

Then he saw their offer. "They're stealing our land," Yentile said.

Yentile is one of three downtown property owners, including Joe Langone and the Veteran's of Foreign Wars Corp., who indicated they would appeal their offers.

The MBTA offered Yentile \$215,000 for his approximately 77,000 square foot property. Yentile said the MBTA failed to consider the loss of income,

increase of property value, property tax and proximity to recent road and utility improvements in their offer.

Yentile rejected the offer on August 4.

"They're not offering even half of the property's worth," Yentile said.

Langone was offered \$45,000 for a 2,600 square foot property, which he estimates is worth \$70,000.

In addition, according to VFW member David Trane. The MBTA offer for the VFW property only took into account the groups headquarters building, and not the land it occupied.

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## Night School Sparks Interest

**By Erin Downing**  
WILMINGTON- A program designed to reach teenagers who have difficulty with the regular day school program is making progress and causing a spark of interest in town, reported Wilmington High School Principal Edward Woods at the school committee meeting Wednesday night.

Woods met with board members to update them on the headway the high school's Evening Alternative Night School Program has made since their last meeting in June.

A main component of the program was set into place with the hiring of coordinator Joseph McMilleon on Friday, August 20.

"We're moving along now and we have some people in place. It's exciting," Woods said.

McMilleon, who was one of the three applicants vying for the position, ran a school similar to the high school's program and has extensive experience, Woods said.

According to the job posting,

the coordinator will have many tasks. He will be responsible for organizing, scheduling and overseeing the operation of the program.

Woods said McMilleon is in the process of reviewing a list of possible teachers for the program and will soon be interviewing the people selected.

The program, which is scheduled to begin on September 20, is intended to help students who do not function well in the regular high school program.

"Poor attendance and grades, discipline and attitude problems are among the reasons why some students cannot achieve in our regular high school program," Woods said, in a letter addressed to School Committee members.

"Over the past several years, Wilmington High School has faced a number of students who exhibit antisocial behaviors regularly. These students actually form a loosely knit 'group' that often acts out in both a physically and verbally abusive manner,"

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## Shawsheen Commons

# Town moves to sieze bond

**By PAUL HAYES**  
WILMINGTON- The town has filed suit against North Middlesex Savings Bank, to seize bonds for the completion of infrastructure work in the Shawsheen Commons housing development.

According to Town Counsel Alan Altman, the bank has until Sep. 20 to respond to the suit, after which they will plead to the charges brought against them.

The Board of Appeals ordered the bonds seized late last year, to complete Shawsheen Commons. One-third of the developments roads remain rough pavement,

without sidewalks or associated landscaping.

Shawsheen Commons was left unfinished after a falling out among developers John Bresnehan of Framingham, Frank Callahan of Ayer, and Jay Tighe of Wilmington in 1995.

The project encountered numerous snags, including when a moratorium was placed on all sewer extensions during the Boston Harbor clean-up project, and when residents of nearby Reed Street and Harold Avenue filed suit against developers and received a \$40,000 settlement.

Construction began in 1991, and Tighe left in 1994 because he said he was dissatisfied with the quality of work on homes, and with post construction home maintenance.

Tighe filed suit against the other developers in 1995, seeking withheld wages for work on Shawsheen Commons.

The town does not complete the sidewalk and street work themselves prior to receiving the bond money because all town money has been allocated for specific uses, Altman said.

"Municipal money is not like

the money you bring to OSCO and CVS that you can use for whatever you want," Altman said.

The town must find out how much money remains in the bond, some of which had been released to developers over the course of the project.

Then the bank could simply hand the money over to the town, or could force the town to obtain it through increasingly difficult legal means.

A decision on how to use the money would be collectively made by the town treasurer, town manager, Board of Appeals, Planning Board and Building Inspector.

## Sarah Ward inspires

# "Cruise for a Cure"

**By PAUL HAYES**  
WILMINGTON- Sarah Ward is the face that launched a thousand bikes.

The Shawsheen school second grade student is the inspiration for the Cruise for a Cure, a 100 mile charity ride through Massachusetts and New Hampshire to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Fund.

Ward was diagnosed with

Cystic Fibrosis, a disease affecting the lungs, at five months old. She is currently a healthy and active seven year old girl, who enjoys ice skating, skiing, swimming and playing soccer.

The athletics, combined with daily physical therapy, and medicine taken through a nebulizer, help keep Ward's lungs clear of the sticky mucus brought on by the disease.

"It doesn't bother me at all now," Ward said.

However Ward's aunt Kristine Newcomb was not content with Ward's current good health, and wanted to help her cure her of Cystic Fibrosis. With that intention Kristine, her husband Chris and Ward's mother Karen conceived Cruise for a Cure last year, Newcomb said.

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## Colonial Faire at Harden Tavern

History will be repeating itself on the weekend of Sept. 18 & 19 at the historic Joshua Harnden Tavern in North Wilmington. The Friends of Harnden Tavern and the Wilmington Minutemen will be holding a joint event featuring an encampment and colonial faire.

The flavor of life in Wilmington's past will come alive when you visit Wilmington's

authentic tavern. The Friends and Minutemen have been busy preparing for visitors who will see the Minutemen fire muskets and cannon, apples being pressed into cider, and wool spun into yarn.

Cooking demonstrations and an Apple Bake-off will tempt the palate. Herbal tea like that which quenched the local farmer's thirst

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**READY TO RIDE** - Preparing for a Sept. 12 motorcycle ride to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation are (L to R) Kayla Ward, 9, Sarah Ward, 7, Kristine Newcomb, Karen Ward, Chris Newcomb and Tyler Newcomb, 4 months. (Maureen Lamoureux photo)



## Wilmington Police Log

**Monday, August 23**  
A restraining order was served on Fairview.  
Mark D. Kerrigan, 35, Wilmington, was arrested on charges of domestic assault and battery.

**Tuesday, August 24**  
A speeding citation was issued on Main St.  
A dog was lost on Earls Rv.  
Police received a report of a breaking and entering into a trailer on Research Dr.  
Police aided in the eviction of a skunk from a kitchen on Cottage St.  
A broken front door was found on a building on Middlesex Ave.  
Timothy P. Gahagan, 39, Tewksbury, was arrested on a warrant.

**Wednesday, August 25**

Items were stolen from a vehicle on Brattle St.  
Trash was dumped illegally on Nichols St.  
A stolen car was found on Washington Ave.

**Thursday, August 26**  
A car had its fog lights stolen while at a business on Main St.  
A small car fire was reported on Cunningham St.  
A wallet was found on Salem St.  
James M. Mooney, 34, Tewksbury, was arrested on charges of Operating under the Influence of Alcohol.

**Friday, August 27**  
Police received a report of wild dogs on Andover St.  
A brush fire was reported on

Salem St.

**Saturday, August 28**  
Objects on Salem Street caused traffic problems and damaged a vehicle.  
A bicycle was found on Congress St.  
A bicycle was stolen behind a business on Main St.  
The front door of a business on Middlesex Ave. was smashed.  
A speeding citation was issued on Pouliot Pl.  
A dog was lost on Mather St.

**Sunday, August 29**  
Police helped remove a bat from a house on Butters Row.  
A dog was found on King St.  
Police squelched a loud group at a business on Main St.

## Tewksbury Police Log

**Monday, August 23**  
Lights were broken on Randolph Dr.  
Ice cream coupons were issued to kids wearing appropriate safety equipment while riding their bicycles on Chuckie's Way.  
A restraining order was served on Salem Rd.  
Six speeding citations were given out on Lowe St.  
A loose dog was harassing neighbors on Shawsheen St.  
Carl H. Smith, 45, Tewksbury, was arrested on charges of disturbing the peace and assault.  
Dennis A. Brennick, 19, Tewksbury, was arrested on a warrant.

**Tuesday, August 24**  
Six ice cream coupons were issued to kids wearing appropriate safety equipment while riding their bicycles on Foster Rd.  
A cellular phone was stolen from a vehicle parked at a business on Main St.  
Police received a report of youths throwing a bottle of red dye at a business on Andover St.  
Five speeding citations were issued on Delaney Dr.  
Five ice cream coupons were issued to kids wearing appropriate safety equipment while riding their bicycles on Donovan Way.  
A speeding citation was issued on Windham Rd.  
Twelve ice cream coupons were issued to kids wearing appropriate safety equipment while riding their bicycles on Mystic Ave.

**Wednesday, August 25**  
Transformer fires were reported on Polaris La.  
The gates at the railroad crossing on North St. were malfunctioning.  
Four speeding citations were issued on Livingston St.  
A sign was stolen from a business on Woburn St. and then retrieved by police.  
Two speeding citations were issued on Barry Dr.

**Thursday, August 26**  
An outer window on the Trahan School was shattered.  
A car's stereo was stolen at a business on Main St.  
Police received a report of items

stolen from a business on East St.  
A customer of a business on Andover St. left without paying their bill.

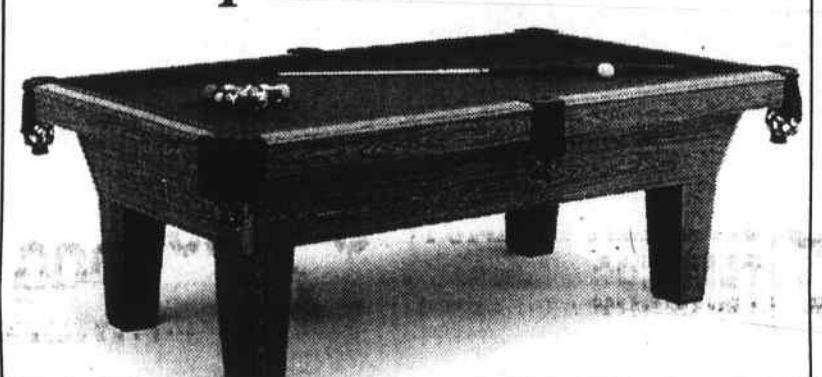
**Friday, August 27**  
A dog got loose on Pratt St.  
A speeding citation was issued on Maple St.  
A bike was stolen on Shawsheen St.  
A slush cart was reported stolen on Main St.

**Saturday, August 28**  
Malicious damage was done to a house and a vehicle on Salem Rd.  
Police received a report of vandalism done to a vehicle on Dirlam Cr.  
Dennis M. Faria, 40, N. Billerica,

was arrested on charges of operating under the influence of alcohol, and failure to keep right.

**Sunday, August 29**  
Two horses got loose and wandered about the Kendall Rd. neighborhood before they were caught.  
Police assisted in removing a dog from underneath a vehicle. The dog emerged unharmed.  
A restraining order was issued on Starr Ave.  
A mailbox was stolen on Seventh St.  
Three speeding citations were issued on Livingston St.  
Kathy Diaz, 25, Lowell, was arrested on a warrant.

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## Looking forward to last Labor Day of 20th century

by Alexis M. Herman  
U.S. Secretary of Labor  
WASHINGTON, DC - In 1882, when the first Labor Day was celebrated, many Americans worked in factories, on docks, in sewing rooms and typing pools.

As we mark the last Labor Day of the 20th century, American workers hold jobs never imagined in previous generations - webmaster, organizational change specialist, LAN operator.

More than 19 million new jobs have been created since 1993, many of them in high tech, high growth, high wage industries. "E-commerce" - sales through the Internet - totaled about \$300 billion last year, almost the same as the U.S. auto industry. Our economy is booming. Our deficit is tamed. Our unemployment rate is at an all time low, and many American workers have opportunities unlike any they've had before.

As Secretary of Labor, I have a vantage point to study and explore trends in the workplace, and today I am releasing a report entitled "Futurework: Trends and Challenges for Work in the 21st Century." I hope it will be a starting point for discussions about how we will manage change in our economy and our work lives.

We know that as changes come and years pass, three things remain constant: America's workers must have a balance between work and family, a secure income throughout their time, and workplaces that are safe and fair. Our challenge is to keep this foundation firm as the world of work changes.

Because of new technologies, we can work from remote locations and connect to the office by e-mail, fax, phone and pager. But technology's influence extends beyond new equipment and faster communications. It redefines work and the skills needed for work.

Increased global competition will continue to affect the type of work being done in American workplaces; creating new high skilled jobs while lessening the demand for low skilled work.

The face of the American workplace is changing, too. By 2050, nearly one out of two Americans will be a person of color. The population of older Americans is expected to double. The representation of Hispanics and Asians will significantly increase, and new technology should bring more Americans with disabilities into the workplace.

In this faster-than-the-speed-of-fiber-optics age, what you know determines how far you go and

skills are the ticket to getting there. If workers are to enjoy incomes that rise throughout employment, they must have opportunities throughout their careers to acquire the skills that will help them get ahead and stay ahead. Technology and globalization should not make any American worker "obsolete."

Because the bandwidth of opportunity is limitless for workers with the right skills and opportunity, we must narrow the "digital divide": and make technology accessible to even the poorest schools so our children can enter the workplace with the right education and skills.

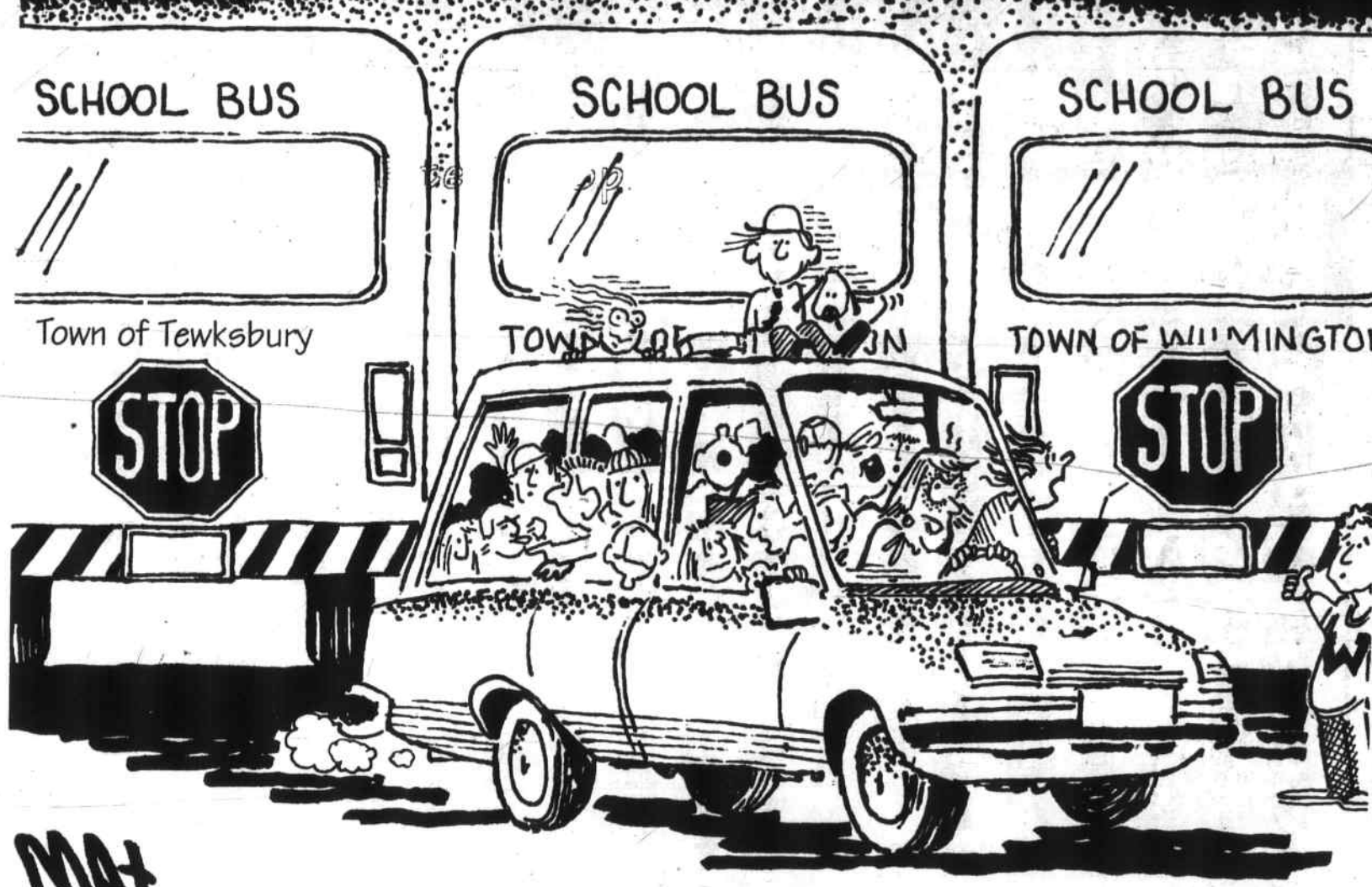
Our information age allows for anytime, anywhere round-the-clock access to work, but what does that do to our family life? The balance of work and family is crucial. Workers must have the flexibility to care for their families.

We live in a uniquely multiracial, multiethnic society and it is becoming more so every day. Capitalizing on America's diversity will give employers a competitive advantage in the global market. Tapping larger pools of workers also creates the opportunity to maintain economic growth. But barriers remain. The demands of the future will require increased efforts to include all workers in our prosperity.

The meaning of work reaches beyond a paycheck and benefits. Work helps shape who we are. It can be the matchmaker that introduces us to our spouses, the community center where we make lifelong friendships and discuss our values, and the backyard where neighbors dispense time tested advice. But if we make unwise choices, the new technologies could lead us to "e-lination" - a society where workers are isolated, their ideas are stifled, and their chief interaction with others is through a computer screen.

On Labor Day 1999, we must remember that for workers, employers and families to thrive, not merely survive, we must make the very best choices. We must choose to provide workers with the education and training they need to be skilled for tomorrow's jobs, not struck without opportunity. We must choose to help every worker at every level to have the flexibility to work and care for their families. And we must choose to embrace the diversity that is our destiny. If those are our choices, then our workplaces, our families and our communities of the future will be a thriving "etopia."

## Rites of Spring? How 'bout the Rites of Fall!



## Letters To The Editor

### The land should revert back to the town

Dear Editor:  
The former manager of the Tewksbury Disabled American Veterans (DAV) is now attempting to get a liquor license to operate a retail bar and function hall at the 180 Pond St. site as a new, private, non-affiliated "Veterans Club."

The State and National DAVs have suspended the Tewksbury DAV charter for nearly a year because of the way the place was being operated. The Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission stripped the DAV of its liquor license in March. Now the same group is trying to have an independent bar at this same location in a residentially zoned neighborhood.

The Town gave the land to the DAV so they could have a place to meet and organize help for disabled veterans. Since this private group is not the DAV and not dedicated to its primary use - the land should revert back to the Town.

Sincerely  
Barbara Flanagan and  
Edward Flanagan,  
Tewksbury

### School clothes are not "self expression"

Dear Editor:  
Would one of these parents in opposition to proper dressing explain why they think clothing is self expression in educating their children in school?

What does self expression mean? In a small child it is a tantrum, running, jumping or loud noises. As one grows, we express ourselves in words, in music, in dancing, in drawing, singing, making up rhymes or clapping hands.

Clothing is a convenience of the job to be done, or determined by the weather. If one wears a fur coat on a hot summer day, or shorts or bathing suit in a snow storm, they

might be expressing themselves, but very uncomfortable.

A parent is a teacher, just as much as the teacher in the classroom. Clothing should only matter to be comfortable and clean.

If the parent demands good physical schools, good teachers, good transportation, good and safe sidewalks to the schools; they have a responsibility to dress their children in the manner in which educators feel their children will respond well to the act of learning reading, writing and mathematics.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. E. Mavis Rockwood  
Tewksbury

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### This would not have been possible without you!

Dear Editor:

In February of this year, I started the Matthew Pellegrino Wheelchair Van Fund. On Friday, August 20, the result of this huge fundraising effort was realized when Mike Currier, our salesman at Ride-Away Handicap Equipment Corp. of Londonderry, N.H., drove our brand new Candy Apple Red Dodge Caravan into our driveway. This was no ordinary van. It was equipped with a fully automated IMS ramp, which would allow Matthew the freedom and independence we had all dreamed about when he got his electric wheelchair a year ago. We would now be able to take Matthew anywhere in his electric wheelchair from doctor's appointments to sporting events. Matthew, as any teenager approaching his 16th birthday, is looking forward to the possibility of being able to drive this vehicle himself soon.

It's given him something to look forward to. One evening this week, just days after getting the van, I took Matt and his friend Mike Stone, to the Lowell Showcase Cinema. Matt called me after the movie and excitedly asked if he could stay for another movie. This is from a kid who hardly left his room all summer. Even though the second movie let out just before midnight, I said O.K. Taking the electric wheelchair was such a thrill for him because he was in control of getting where he wanted to go, independently, whether it be to the snack bar, the arcade or moving about outside the theater. This is only the beginning of Matthew's independent mobility.

This dream would not have been realized without the help of many people. My fundraising committee consisted of me, Celene Aghajanian and Lynn Muccio, both of

Tewksbury. Celene and Lynn worked tirelessly for this fund and I couldn't have done it without them. There were over 250 contributors to this fund. I could never name them all here, but I just want them to know how much I appreciated each and every donation, no matter how big or how small. I got many cards and letters of support along with the donations.

Matthew and I read each and every one of them. They really helped to boost our morale when we needed it the most. I would like to also thank some local businesses who helped our effort. First of all, I'd like to thank the Town Crier, who put the story about Matt and this fund on the front page of their newspaper. Thanks also to the Lowell Sun, Advertiser, Boston Globe and MediaOne News, who also helped to get the word out. The Knights of Columbus, who donated \$5,000 to this effort and who have always been there when I needed them. Larry Knight, Roy Patterson and the rest of the people who run the Tewksbury Teen Center. Their car wash raised over \$3,000 for the fund.

The kids deserve a lot of praise, too. They really worked hard that day. The Car Mart in Wilmington and 128 Ford - their owners and employees made a combined donation of \$3,000 to this fund with no strings attached. I kept waiting for them to ask me to buy the van from them, but the request never came. My employer, Louis Coiro, of Tewksbury Physical Therapy donated \$2,000. Any other boss would have fired me for all the time I spent doing "fund" work during my regular work hours.

The Country Mouse Nursery School, through their own fundraising efforts, raised \$1,000 for the fund.

Other area companies donating to this fund were Starflex of Lowell, St. William's Parish, Concord New London Style Pizza, Muccio & Goldstein, CPA, Crystal's Store, Northeast Building and Remodeling.

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Murray Heald of Shirley donated a sand putter and video.

Louise Kelly of Tewksbury donated a beautiful handmade quilt.

Carol Blanch of Tewksbury donated an Abercrombie & Fitch teen package (including A&F backpack, cap, t-shirt, CD holder).

Mary Jo Field donated a handmade Irish knitsweater and afghan.

Officer J. Hood and the Tewksbury Police Society donated security for the event.

Thanks to all these companies and all the friends, relatives and total strangers I couldn't mention here who shared our dream and gave so generously. This would not have been possible without them.  
Loretta Pellegrino





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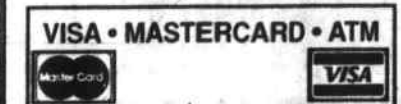
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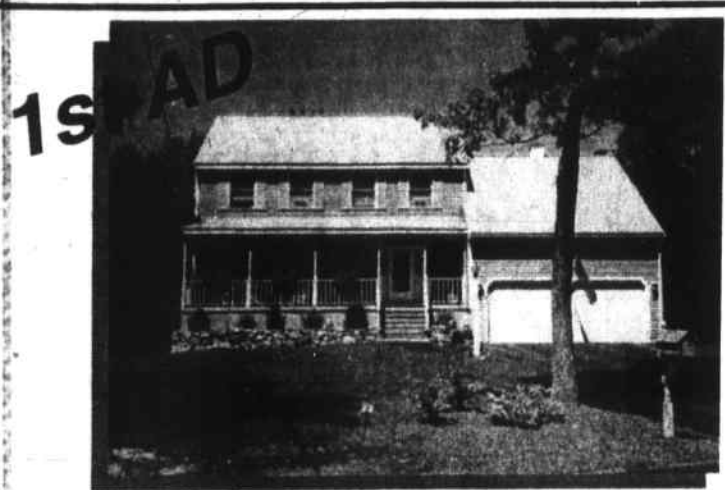
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## Former East Woburn restaurant

# Wilmington attorney buys Primo's for \$1.4M

By PAMELA MIETH

WOBURN — The now-former Primo's restaurant on Montvale Avenue in East Woburn was sold at auction yesterday morning for \$1.4 million, plus the obligation to pay a nearly \$255,000 municipal lien.

The buyer was John Phillips, a Wilmington attorney who declined to comment at this time on what the plans are for the site or whether it would remain a restaurant.

As part of the sale, Phillips will be required to satisfy a municipal lien on the property totaling \$254,634.91 in unpaid property taxes dating back to 1995 and water and sewer charges for the previous fiscal year.

Phillips was one of a dozen or so registered bidders attending the auction Tuesday morning. However, some three dozen people, including several local real estate and banking figures, attended the proceedings which were held at the 309 Montvale Ave. restaurant.

Though auctioneers Jerome J. Manning & Co., Inc. tried to open bidding at \$2 million for the restaurant's land, building, and fixtures and equipment, the opening bid came in at \$500,000.

Bids went up in increments of \$250,000 and \$100,000, before coming to rest at \$1.4 million. Auctioneers took a recess when bidding stalled, and, after various parties huddled in consultation, resumed a short time later to pronounce the property going once, going twice, and sold.

The restaurant's liquor license was not part of the sale, though some bidders had inquired about liquor license availability.

The event was a sad one for brothers John and James Primo, who together owned the restaurant which was opened as a smaller pizza shop in the early 1970s and later expanded to the present two-story facility. They watched with other family members as auctioneer Jerry Manning found out how much their dashed dream was worth.

Although the restaurant had been closed for nearly a year and notice of the mortgage foreclosure was made at least a month ago, it was still difficult to see, according to John Primo.

"It's kind of hard," he said after the sale, "it's a sad day."

Asked what went wrong with the business and what's next for the former owners, Primo said, "a bunch of things" went wrong, and added, "I don't know what happens now."

His brother James added that he wanted to thank all the people of Woburn and surrounding communities for their patronage over the years.

Auctioneer Manning said the number of bidders was about average for such an event that the \$1.4 million purchase price was "in the range we expected."

Thomas Looney, attorney for the mortgage holder, Alaska National Partners #1 Ltd., declined to comment on the purchase price and whether it covered the outstanding mortgage.

He said other lien holders, with the exception of the city of Woburn, had been eliminated by the foreclosure.

The restaurant's contents were originally scheduled to be sold at an earlier auction, but Manning said that auction, which had been scheduled with a different firm, was stopped. He did not elaborate.

Piles of glasses, cooking pans and take-out containers were sold as part of the purchase price.

The Primos were allowed to take certain personal items out of the restaurant and, with the new owner's permission, plan to remove the wooden sign outside the restaurant inviting diners to "Primo's Italian Restaurant," as well as two stained glass windows inside the restaurant which bear the family name.

Phillips paid a \$10,000 deposit on the sale and will be required to pay the balance within 45 days to complete the sale.

Phillips would only say he was the buyer and didn't give any indication if he were representing any other parties.

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## Over the Garden Gate

## Ornamental grass, lawn's exotic cousins

by DIANA ALLARD

Grasses are wonderful! Only two other plant groups, the Orchids and the Daisies, have more species than the family of grasses. Many plants that are part of this group are economically important on a world-wide basis, corn, wheat, and sugar cane are all members of the grass family. The lawns we grow are our mostly widely used "ornamental grasses" and are certainly of economic significance to garden centers, hardware stores, and home improvement centers. By the way, the lawn originated as the cleared area around medieval castles used for livestock pasturing, surveillance, and sometimes as a battleground. In a way, I suppose lawns are still a battleground: the battle of the bugs, the weeds, and the maintenance!

But these turf grasses aren't what gardeners usually think of when "ornamental grasses" are mentioned. Ornamental grasses are used, as the words suggest, in our gardens, along with perennials, annuals, shrubs and trees, as exterior decorating.

There is a tremendous variety in the types of ornamental grasses available. Different growth habits, sizes, shapes, foliage color and textures, and flowers make this group of plants very interesting and useful. There are "cool-season" grasses such as the fescues which usually flower and set seed in the early summer, becoming slow growing or even dormant during very hot weather and resuming growth in the autumn. "Warm-season" grasses, such as most of the maiden grasses (Miscanthus) and fountain grasses (Pennisetum) grow their best when the temperatures reach 80 degrees or higher, flower and set seed in the fall, and go dormant as the weather turns cold. Many of these "warm-season" grasses have very sturdy foliage and flowers which will bleach to soft tans and beige's during the fall and stand in your garden until spring adding winter interest to your garden too.

Most grasses are "clumpers" and stay neatly where they are planted, getting larger and more beautiful from year to year; a few are "runners" and can be invasive. It's wise to do a bit of research before buying a grass that is gorgeous in the nursery pot but which can become an unwelcome monster once it has settled into your garden.

There are several different growth "forms", each can lend itself to a particular garden spot. Some grasses grow strongly upright for a great vertical accent, porcupine grass (Miscanthus sinensis var. strictus) would be an example of upright form. Some grasses grow in neat tufts, such as the fescues, while other grasses develop into lovely mounded forms,



A patch of ornamental grass

such as the fountain grasses, and some grow quite tall with flaring tops that arch outwards, many varieties of the maiden grasses have this form.

Color and texture of the foliage can also vary greatly, ranging from solid emerald green, to blades with white or gold and green variegation. Some grasses have flecks or bands of yellow across their leaves such as the porcupine and zebra grasses (Miscanthus sinensis "Zebrinus"), and other grasses have blue coloration, from blue-greens to very beautiful blue-gray, such as blue oat grass (Helictotrichon sempervirens). There are even some grasses with red foliage such as Japanese blood grass (Imperata cylindrica "Red Baron"), which can be killed by the cold during severe winters or "Burgundy Giant" fountain grass (Pennisetum "Burgundy Giant") which can only be grown as an annual in our zone.

Foliage texture can add interest. Some grasses have blades almost an inch wide, included would

be some varieties of maiden grass, while other maiden grasses have very narrow leaves; the lovely little fescues also have extremely narrow, dainty leaves.

Many people don't think of grasses as flowering plants, after all, they are certainly not as eye-catching as a rose or sunflower. However, some ornamental grasses have lovely flowers and seed heads that last far longer in our gardens than our other perennials and also are often cut and used as dried flowers. Some grasses, such as the fountain grasses have flowers that look like bottle-brushes; the switch grasses (Panicum) have flowers that are so airy and delicate they almost look like a misty cloud that has settled over the plant; Northern sea oats (Chasmanthium latifolium) has flowers and seed heads that look like little spangles taken from a party dress, and the maiden grasses have lovely plumes that are held high in the air above their foliage.

Ornamental grasses are defi-

nately "easy-care" garden plants. Most like full sun and well-drained soil, but read the plant tag carefully to be sure you buy a variety that will thrive in the spot you've chosen for it. While the best growth is shown in organically rich soil, too much nitrogen will often cause lax, floppy stems, so don't over-fertilize. When planting a new acquisition in your garden be sure to set the crown of the plant at the same depth as it was growing in the nursery pot, water immediately and remember to water often while the plant is becoming established. Most established grasses appreciate being cut back in the spring. Allowing the previously year's growth to stand throughout the winter will protect the crown from the cold but cutting the stalks back just before, or just as new growth is appearing will allow the spring sun to reach the soil and help promote strong new growth.

There are many, many varieties of ornamental grasses available. There are tiny grasses that are perfect for edging or containers, or the little empty space in the front of a border. There are grasses which grow several feet tall and as wide and can be used as a screen to block a view, as a specimen or accent plant, or to fill a large space at the back of a flower garden. If the local garden center doesn't carry the plant you are looking for, many of the mail order nurseries have a good selection too. Remember to do a little homework before you buy, a friend of mine was disappointed when he found out the beautiful grass he purchased was not winter-hardy in this area. Also, make sure it will stay where you plant it, you don't want your ornamental grass to take over the whole garden, or creep into the neighbor's yard.

If you want to search the Internet for more information on ornamental grasses, try my favorite search engine, "Dogpile", at [www.dogpile.com](http://www.dogpile.com). Type in "ornamental grasses", click "Fetch". You'll find an incredible selection of links to follow. Have fun!

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Registration can be done through the mail, in person from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the high school or September 8 and 9 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the high school.

For more information, contact Cynthia A. Basteri, director of Community Education or Julie Fortier, secretary at 978-640-7831.

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## September is the time to join WCTV

WILMINGTON - If you have considered becoming a member of Wilmington Community Television, September is the month to do it. WCTV presents an opportunity for Wilmington residents to share ideas, inform citizens of events, and creatively challenge residents all using Wilmington's own electronic soapbox.

WCTV, a non-profit organization, has established September as Membership Drive month. New membership is available for half the regular rate of \$10 per year. Families may sign up for only \$10 for one year (applies to all persons residing at the same address) and organizations may sign up for only \$15 for one year.

Monday, September 20 kicks off a special Membership Week with

Youth Night, a night of television programs produced by kids, for kids.

Tuesday, September 21, visit WCTV at the Open House. Learn to "fly" with chroma key, surf the Internet, meet the WCTV staff, sign up for classes, and tour the facility from 6 to 9 p.m.

Wednesday, September 22 is dedicated to sports, both Wilmington and regionally. "Red Sox Weekly" will present a live program from 7 to 8 p.m. "Sports Forum" will be live from 8 to 9 p.m.

Thursday, September 23 is a special night of live programming for local organizations. All local groups are invited to "Organization Night" where each group host a representative for their organizations for a live television audience.

If your organization needs to recruit new members, raise money for projects, or just inform the community of activities, this is your opportunity to do it! Please call WCTV to schedule your time between 7 and 9 p.m. Make your reservation by calling 657-4066. Space is limited.

Wilmington Community Television, founded in 1987, is television

produced by Wilmington residents for Wilmington residents. At a time when communities seem to be becoming more and more fragmented, WCTV provides the opportunity to build community through communication. Feel free to visit the facility located at 140 Middlesex Ave., at the rear of the Swain School or to call 657-4066.

## Going high tech in a very old industry

TEWKSBURY - An upcoming workshop sponsored by the Merrimack Valley Chapter of the Embroiderers' Guild of America, Inc., will explore the use of multimedia in embroidery.

The event is scheduled to be held at 7 p.m., Tuesday, September 21 at Tewksbury Congregational Church, Main and East Streets.

Using rubber stamps, a design will be placed on linen fabric, and embellished with pens and embroidery. The kit includes fabric, instructions, and use of stamps, stamp pads, and pens. Participants will provide their own threads, ribbons,

beads, needles and scissors. Kit: \$2.00 may be obtained at the meeting. No pre-registration is necessary.

Refreshments will be served. The Embroiderers' Guild of America, Merrimack Valley Chapter, is a non-profit organization founded to teach and preserve needlework as an art form. For more information about this class, or for information about joining the Merrimack Valley Chapter and participating in its educational programs, call Justyna Teverovsky at 978-635-9732.

## Wilmington Date Book

Having a hard time? Feeding your family? Call Project Bread's Food Source Hotline at 1-800-645-8333. The Hotline is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

All day, every day: Free blood pressure clinic at Wilmington Fire Station; 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., weekends included. No appointment necessary.

American Cancer Society: Needs volunteers for patients and from treatments. Call 1-800-640-7101 ext. 120.

Tues., Sept. 7: 6:45 to 9:30 p.m., in WHS Band Room; first rehearsal for "Home for the Holidays," a musical review to be presented November 26, 27, 28 by No. Regional Theatre Workshop. Call 978-681-0355.

Mon., Sept. 13: 7 p.m., Wil. Republican Town Comm meets at Cable TV conference room, Swain School. Call 978-658-7495.

Tues., Sept. 14: Leaving 5:45 p.m. from 4th of July Headquarters; Council for the Arts trip to Museum of Fine Arts to see John Singer Sargent Show. Call 658-2100.

Thurs., Sept. 16: 23: 7:30 to 9:45 p.m., Learn to square dance, spon. Skirts 'n' Flirts at Shawsheen School, Route 129. Call 978-658-4022.

Sept. 16: Santini's will ride bikes 275 miles from Boston to N.Y. to benefit the Aids Foundation. Help them in this fight by making a pledge. Call 978-988-3721.

Sat., Sept. 18: 7 a.m., Bus leaves 4th of July Headquarters on Middlesex Avenue; arriving Foxwoods at 9 a.m.; return trip, leave Foxwoods 4 p.m., arrive home 6 p.m. Sponsored by Wil. Sons of Italy, roundtrip motorcoach trans. \$10.00 Kenobonus. Call Lucille Clark 978-658-2650 for reservations.

Sat., Sept. 18: Yard sale at Buzzell Senior Center, School Street. Donated items may be dropped off at the Center Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Tues., Sept. 21: 6 to 9 p.m., Wil. Community TV open house. Call 657-4066.

Fri., Sept. 24: Dare Night at the Rodeo, Shriners. All Wil. middle school students admitted free, accompanied by an adult and wearing a DARE t-shirt. Call 657-7149.



THE STEEN TWINS, Deb and Mary Ann enjoyed a trip to Washington D.C. in June with their eighth grade class.

## Washington trip a grand success

WILMINGTON - Deb and Mary Anne Steen, pictured above, on their June trip to Washington D.C. with their eighth grade class from the North Intermediate School in Wilmington.

The identical twins are blind and they will be entering Wilmington High School in September as ninth graders. Deb and Mary Anne have been attending Wilmington schools since kindergarten. The teachers at the Woburn Street School and the North Intermediate have had a wonderful, positive influence on these girls.

Mr. Cleo Fredette is to be commended on the fine job he has done in providing these young ladies with

the opportunity to become educated in the public school system.

Deb and Mary Anne attend all classes with their fellow students, with the exception of math and Braille lessons. They have a super visual aide teacher, Elaine Phillips, and two aides; Charlotte Grasso and Nancy Bryant.

Life is not easy for the twins, but they have done remarkably well.

They are very outgoing young ladies and have many aunts, uncles and cousins from the Campbell and Steen families to interact with.

Richard and Madeleine (Campbell) Steen are Deb and Mary Anne's parents. The twins, together with their mother, Madeleine and sister Michelle, live with their Campbell grandparents in Wilmington. Joe and Nancy Steen, also of Wilmington are the twins' fraternal grandparents.

Deb and Mary Anne are also gifted with beautiful voices. They have sung at many functions and are members of the choir at St. Thomas. They are looking forward to singing in the chorus at W.H.S. this year.

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Suns., through Oct. 3: "Art Underfoot: The story of Waldboro Hooked Rugs," at the Gallery, American Textile History Museum, 491 Dutton St., Lowell. Tues-Fri., 9

a.m. to 4 p.m.; Sat., Sun, Holidays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call 978-441-0400.

Tues., Sept. 7: 1 p.m. at Woburn Senior Center, 144 School Street. Easter Seals Woburn Area Stroke Support Group meets. Call 800-244-2756 x 345.

Wed., Sept. 8: 10:15 a.m., La Leche League of Reading meets at 64 Middlesex Ave., Reading. Call

978-657-1012.

Thurs., through Sept. 9: Free vocal lessons with Merrimack Valley Chorus of Sweet Adelines. Call 978-851-7764.

Sat. Sept. 28: 10:30 a.m. to noon, Harvard Museum of Natural History. Archaeology seminar including mini-dig. at Harvard Museum of Natural History, 26 Oxford St.,

Cambridge. Call 617-496-8204.

Wed., Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, Oct. 6: 7 to 9 p.m., Free hunter education course at Billerica Rod & Gun Club, Pond Street, Billerica. Call 508-792-7434.

Thurs., Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7: 7 to 9 p.m., Free hunter education course at Lawrence Rod & Gun Club, Webster Road, Andover. Call

508-792-7434.

Sept. 4, 5, 6: 21st annual Newburyport Waterfront Festival at Topsfield Fairgrounds. Call 603-755-2166.

Thurs. Sept. 9-Dec. 16: DivorceCare, a recovery seminar and support group meets at First Baptist Church, Reading. Call 978-640-1006.

Sat., Sept. 11, 18, 25: 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Free hunter education course in Middleton; Danvers Fish and Game Club, Log Bridge Road (off Rte. 114) Middleton. Handicapped accessible. Call 508-972-07434.

Sept. 11: 20th annual banjo and fiddle contests at Boarding House Park, 40 French St., Lowell. Call 978-970-5000/5002.

Mon., Sept. 13: 1 to 2 p.m., Home Health VNA health clinic at Andover Commons. Call 978-470-3800.

Sept. 14, and 28: 8:30 p.m., Nat. Multiple Sclerosis Society internet ed series for people newly diagnosed with MS. Visit web site www.nmss.org and select Education Programs.

Sat., Sept. 18: 6.2 mile American Heart Walk register at 9 a.m. start walk at 10. Lederman Field, Charles River Esplanade, Boston. Call 800-662-1701.

Sat., Sept. 18: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., at Tsongas Arena, 300 Arcand dr.,

Lowell. Amish quilt and craft sale. Call 717-786-9487. Public invited; admission free.

Sat., Sept. 18: 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., Lederman Field, Charles River Esplanade; American Heart Walk. Call 800-662-1701, ext. 3158.

Sat., Sept. 18: 7:30 p.m., Andover Chamber Music Series will present Bach's Brandenburg Concertos 2, 4, 5 at South Church, 41 Central St., Andover. Call 978-470-8874.

Sept. 18: Riders and volunteers are needed for the third annual Cycle for Life to benefit the Floating Children's Cancer Center at N.E. Medical Center. Fifty mile ride north along Marblehead and Gloucester. Call 617-636-5535.

Sun., Sept. 19: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Fourth annual dollhouse and miniature show and sale at VFW Hall, 190 Main St., Saugus. Call 1-508-352-7447.

Sat., Sept. 25: 7:30 p.m., sign up begins for Cowpasture & Umbrella Coffeehouse, 468 Essex St., Lawrence. Every other fourth Sat. for all types of acoustic music, poets drumming, cabaret and spoken word artists. Call 978-688-3569.

Mon., Sept. 27: Home Health VNA health clinic at Frye Circle, Andover.

Oct. 2-11: Topsfield Fair's 75th year.

## Obituaries

### Scott F. McBay

#### peer counselor for National Spinal Cord Association

WILMINGTON - Scott F. McBay, 27, of Wilmington, died August 28, 1999 at the Lahey Clinic Medical Center in Burlington.

Scott was born in Stoneham the loving son to his father Francis McBay and his wife Diane and his mother Donna (Hurley) McBay all of Wilmington. He was a graduate of Shawheen Tech and was currently vice president of U.S. Seal-Coat Inc., Residential Division of Woburn. He was also a peer counselor for the National Spinal Cord Association.

Aside from his parents, Scott is survived by his sisters Kimberly McKinnon and her husband Paul of Londonderry, N.H., Jennifer Sharp of Dracut and Danielle Sharp of Wilmington.

His funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home of Wilmington Wednesday morning followed by a funeral mass at St. Dorothy's Church and interment in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.



Memorials in his name may be made to the Greater Boston National Spinal Cord Association, Health South, NERH Way, 2 Rehab, Woburn, MA 01801.

### Rachel Palmer

#### graduate Tewksbury Hospital School of Nursing

WILMINGTON - Mrs. Rachel A. Palmer, a Wilmington resident for many years, died August 30, 1999 at her late residence on Middlesex Avenue, after a lengthy illness.

Born in Woburn, Mrs. Palmer was a graduate of St. Charles Borromeo of Woburn, Class of 1948 and of Tewksbury Hospital School of Nursing as an LPN. She was employed as a nurse by Choate Memorial Hospital in Woburn and worked as office nurse for Dr. John Tomich in Woburn and Stoneham.

She is survived by her husband Richard J. Palmer and was the mother of Rachel A. and her husband James F. McCarthy of Dracut, Richard J. and his wife Ann (Holbrook) of Wilmington, Douglas

J. of Boston, Christine M. and her husband Bruce E. Taylor of Cheshire, CT., Jeffrey M. and his wife Karen (Wolley) of Bedford, N.H.; five grandchildren, Nicholas Palmer, Shamus McCarthy, Daniel Palmer, Katie Palmer and Joe Palmer and her twin sister Christine Drew of Lake Oswego, Oregon. She was also the sister of the late Lillian Hooban.

Her funeral mass will be celebrated at St. Thomas Church Friday, Sept. 3 at 10 a.m. followed by burial in Wildwood Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Avenue, (Rt. 62) Wilmington, Thursday from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

### Mary Velma Gath

#### retired from Western Electric

TEWKSBURY - Mary Velma (Nuttall) (Witkum) Gath, 83, died Thursday morning, August 26, 1999 at Lowell General Hospital after a lengthy illness. She was the widow of William "Happy" Gath who died February 15, 1997.

Born May 10, 1916, she was the daughter of the late William and Julia (Finnigan) Nuttall; was raised in North Billerica and she lived in Tewksbury most of her life. She was a resident of Carnation Drive senior community until illness required her to live with her daughter and son-in-law in Plaistow, N.H. during the last year.

She retired from Western Electric in North Andover in 1975 and had divided her time between Tewksbury and Florida during the winters. She enjoyed crocheting, crafts and her grandchildren.

Mrs. Gath is survived by three sons and two daughters-in-law, Edward and his wife Patricia (Pollinger) Witkum of Westford, Robert and his wife Pamela (Gonsalves) Witkum of Salisbury and Joseph Witkum of Wilmington; a daughter and son-in-law, Gail (Witkum) and Robert DeGregory

of Plaistow, N.H.; six step-children, William D. Gath of Aztec, NM, Richard Gath and Dawn Rogers both of Tewksbury, Michael Gath of Windham, NH, Colleen Dube of Derry, NH, and Edna Moran of Haymarket, VA; seven grandchildren, Sheri Witkum of Pepperell, Richard D. and Edward A. Witkum Jr. of Westford, Todd R. and Kimberly A. Witkum of Lowell, Alisha M. and Robert E. DeGregory Jr., of Plaistow, NH; one great-granddaughter, Samantha and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was also sister of the late Myles and Andrew Nuttall and grandmother of Randal "Randy" Witkum, who died in a racing accident August 14.

Her funeral mass was held Monday morning August 30 in St. William's Church followed by burial in Tewksbury Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of the Tewksbury Funeral Home.

Memorials to the Contemplative Sisters of the Good Shepherd, 151 Burrs Lane, Dix Hills, NY, 11746, or the Epilepsy Foundation, 95 Berkely St., Suite 409, Boston, MA 02116 will be appreciated.

### Frances M. Edemann

#### eight years in Tewksbury

TEWKSBURY - Miss Frances M. Edemann, 77, of Tewksbury, died Tuesday morning, August 24, 1999 at Wingate of Andover.

Born April 1, 1922 in Somerville, she was the daughter of the late Francis and Lucy (Lawrence) Edemann. She lived in Watertown, Medford and Somerville before moving to Tewksbury in 1991.

Prior to retirement, she was employed as a secretary.

Miss Edemann leaves many friends in the Tewksbury area.

A service graveside was held on Friday, August 27, at 11 a.m. in the Wyoming Cemetery in Melrose. Arrangements were through the Tewksbury Funeral Home.

### Charles T. Doherty

#### US Army, Marine Corps veteran

TEWKSBURY - Charles Thomas Doherty, 40, died unexpectedly Wednesday morning, August 25, 1999 in Wakefield.

Born in Malden, he was the son of Marie D. (Rundell) Doherty of Tewksbury and the late Charles T. Doherty. He lived most of his life in Tewksbury and attended Tewksbury schools.

He was a veteran of both the U.S. Army and the Marine Corps and was employed as a construction worker.

In addition this mother, he is survived by two sisters and a brother-in-law, Debra and James Breckenridge of Charleston, ME and Linda Morneault of Bangor, ME; his step father, Ernest Ladd of Tewksbury, his maternal grandmother, Nellie Bell of Tewksbury and several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services were private. Arrangements were under the direction of the Tewksbury Funeral Home.

### Lois Manson

#### life long resident of Wilmington

WILMINGTON - Lois Manson died suddenly August 31, 1999 at Winchester Hospital after being stricken with a heart attack at her late residence on Deming Way, Wilmington.

Born in Lynn, Ms. Manson was a life long resident of Wilmington, was educated here, and graduated from Wilmington High School with the Class of 1945.

She had been employed as a secretary for a Boston brokerage company for many years before her retirement. She was a member of the Congregational Church.

Ms. Manson was the sister of George Manson and his late wife, Antonette of Beverly; Albert Manson and his wife Carolyn of

Stoughton, and Lorraine Allen and her husband Ralph of Wilmington. She is also survived by eight nieces, four nephews; several grand nieces and nephews and her dear friend Ethel Ross.

A funeral service will be held at the Wilmington Congregational Church Saturday, Sept. 4 at 10 a.m. with the Rev. Miles Hall officiating.

Friends may call at the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., (Rte. 62) Wilmington Friday from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m.

Burial will be in Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington.

Contributions made in her memory to the Congregational Church of Wilmington will be appreciated.

### Richard L. Pumfrey

#### 15 years with Kennedy & Rossi Construction Co

WILMINGTON - Richard L. Pumfrey, 66 of Wilmington, died August 28, 1999 at the Lahey Clinic Medical Center in Burlington.

Born in Lynn, he was the son of Mary (DeMille) Pumfrey of Saugus and the late Lawrence Pumfrey. He served with the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict and later worked as a union carpenter for 25 years having been employed for Kennedy & Rossi Construction Co. in Lexington for 15 years. Mr. Pumfrey was a member of Carpenter's Local #275 in Waltham. He was also a member of the Wilmington Minutemen and the Wilmington Senior Citizens.

Aside from his mother, Mr.

Pumfrey is survived by his wife Shirley L. (McManus); his children Diane E. DeMaggio and her husband Kenneth both of Wilmington and Richard E. Pumfrey of Windham, N.H.; his granddaughters, Leah and Celine DeMaggio both of Wilmington; his mother-in-law Charlotte (Earle) McManus of Charlestown and his brother Lawrence Pumfrey of Saugus.

He was also the brother of the late Donald Pumfrey of Lynn.

His funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home of Wilmington, Tuesday morning followed by a funeral mass at St. Thomas Church and interment in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington.

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# Owners contest friendly taking

**FROM PAGE 1**  
The two remaining affected land owners, Don Caggiano and David Katz, could not be reached for comment.  
The MBTA finalized the land takings on Friday, Aug. 27, according to the Secretary of State's Registry of Deeds Office.  
Yentile, a former proponent of the downtown commuter rail station expansion, said the MBTA initially promised the five downtown properties required for the commuter rail station project - including his building - would be acquired through a "friendly taking."  
As Yentile understood it, a friendly taking meant the MBTA would withdraw

their proposal if property owners were not satisfied with the offers for their land.  
The land takings come after a former MBTA official labeled spending on the Wilmington commuter rail project "out of control."  
Former MBTA Planning Director Hasty Evans said the Wilmington Commuter Rail station budget grew because of mismanagement in the MBTA capital budgeting process.  
In contrast to Wilmington's \$7.9 million commuter rail station and 224-space parking lot, Evans noted the significantly lower costs of two similar projects in Lakeville and Billerica.

In Lakeville, a 300 space parking lot was built between 1998-99 for \$2.9 million; and in Billerica a 197 space parking lot, and antique building restoration, was completed for \$2.4 million.  
"I said the MBTA should maybe consider the [Wilmington] project too expensive," Evans said. "You could do three lakeville's for the cost of Wilmington."  
However, MBTA press secretary Brian Pedro said the Evans was aware the project was always estimated to cost \$7 million dollars. The project budget increased by \$900,000 for real estate costs, and for added track and signal work, Pedro said.

Pedro said the MBTA appropriated \$4 million initially for the project, because the full \$7 million was not available. However, the MBTA always intended to return to the legislature and request an additional \$4 million in the subsequent budget.  
"If it was only a parking lot it would be expensive," Pedro said. "But these projects change over their lifetime."  
Pedro asked why Evans didn't bother to ask about the project's budget while she was director of planning, and said it was easy for a disgruntled employee to focus on a minority of overbudget projects.  
"Do we do everything perfect, no,"

Pedro said. "But for a person that high in the organization to act as if they uncovered something, that actually occurred in the open, is disingenuous."  
However, Yentile said he wanted development of the commuter rail station halted until the state determined where all the appropriated money went.  
"The lines in the parking lot will have to be gold-plated to account for the cost of the project," Yentile said.

## Colonial Faire at Harden Tavern

**FROM PAGE 1**  
will be served. Colonial games and other living history exhibits will entertain young and old alike.  
The Minutemen will be there from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. The Friends of Harnden Tavern will join them on Sunday afternoon from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. as they celebrate the harvest.  
The public is encouraged to see the exhibits. Anyone interested in joining either the Minutemen or the Friends should make this a priority on their weekend schedule. Both groups are open to men and women who have an interest in Wilmington's history. Citizenship is not required. Both the Minutemen and the Friends have members from surrounding towns and villages.

## Night School Sparks Interest

**FROM PAGE 1**  
Woods said. "For example, the class of 2001 has exceeded the number of physical confrontations as compared to the number of similar incidents which occurred during the previous year."  
Woods said the alternative program is "a great opportunity" for these teenagers to have a chance at an education.  
According to Woods, between 10 and 12 students are expected to participate in the program this year. However, he said that the figure might change once more people learn about the program.  
"We don't know what will generate when people find out it's there," Woods said.  
Woods has cultivated a growing interest in the program, which began with seven identified students when Woods came before the board earlier in the summer. This number has since changed, and Woods expects higher figures as the program develops.  
"I'm not sure where it's going to end up," Woods said. "For this year though, I don't want to go over 12 students. I could see it growing into 15 to 20 people."  
In a phone conversation on Tuesday, August 31, Woods said he has already received numerous phone calls from people interested in the program. At the board's meeting, Woods mentioned that a student from another town heard about the program and is interested in joining. He said the details of that are being discussed.  
The students will attend the evening program three nights a week for three hours and take two courses an evening. An element of the program is the School to Work Internship program, which requires the students to work a minimum of 20 hours a week. The students have to submit pay stubs or copies every week to verify that they have worked.  
"We will oversee everything," Woods confirmed. "We don't give away diplomas."  
The students will earn one credit per month for successful completion of all requirements of

Sarah Ward Inspires

## "Cruise for a Cure"

**FROM PAGE 1**  
"My husband and I ride motorcycles, and we did other charity rides," Newcomb said. "We realized the cystic fibrosis foundation didn't do a charity ride, so we just brought the two together."  
Last year's Cruise for a Cure raised \$4,000 for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, and this year's event promises to bring in even more money for the cause.  
Riders raising \$50 in pledge money are eligible for a raffle to win two American Airlines tickets to Orlando, FL; a three night stay

at the Sherraton Orlando; and a three day Harley rental package from V-Twin Harley Rental.  
A separate raffle will be held for various prizes and motorcycle products including motorcycle helmets, a free motorcycle detail from Buff-n-Stuff of Wilmington, dinner gift certificates and T-shirts.  
Newcomb said scientific understanding of Cystic Fibrosis has come a long way since Ward was diagnosed, and believes a cure will be found in Ward's life-

time.  
The Cruise for a Cure begins and ends at Chelmsford High School. A post ride cookout will also be held at the high school, with food donated and cooked by the Outback Steakhouse.  
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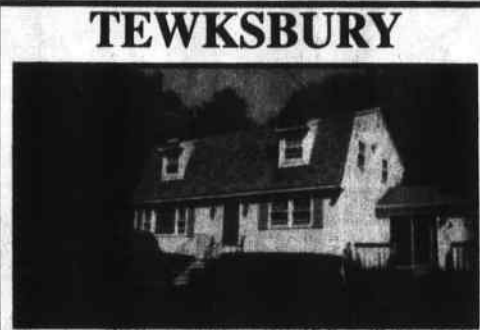
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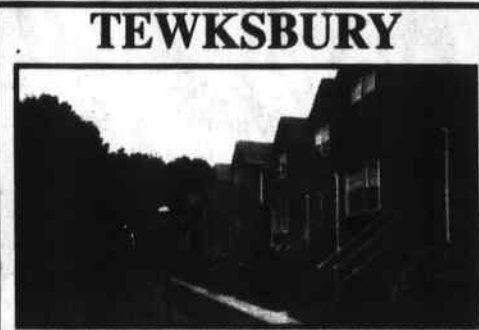


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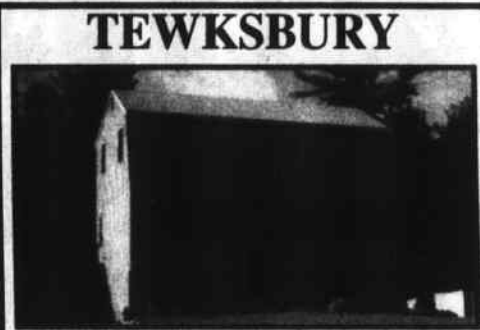
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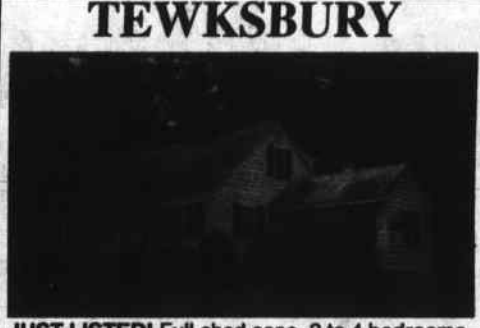
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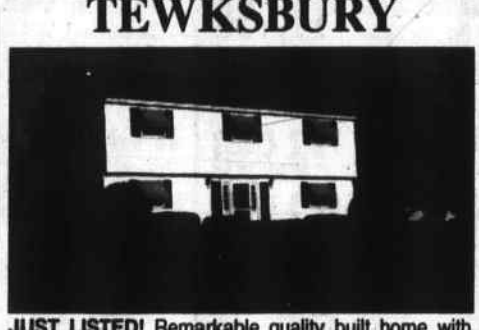
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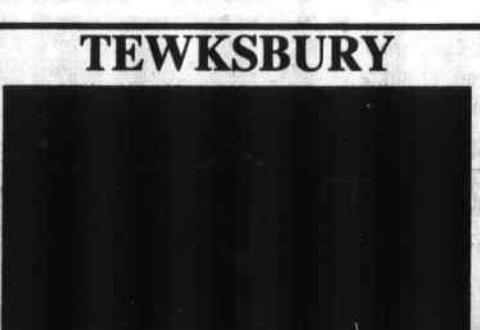
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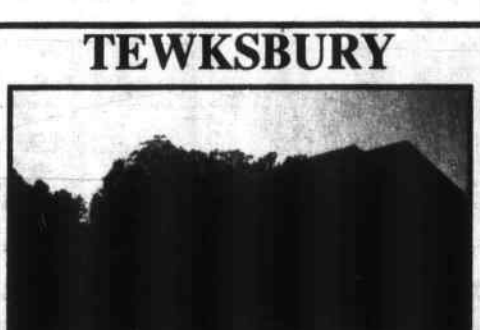
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SEVERAL WILMINGTON RESIDENTS did very well in the rookie and strictly stock car races on Sunday at the Hudson Speedway in Hudson, NH. The white car numbered 58 in the outside lane is owned and driven by Chris White of Wilmington. He won this race. (Jeff Nazzaro photo)

## Fast, friendly competition has come a long way

By JAMIE POTE  
Sports Editor

For longtime friends Eric Morin and Chris White, it's not just the competition against one another, it's the bragging rights they mostly enjoy.

But when it comes to pinpointing why they spend countless hours of their time, and countless amount of money, they both agree that it's worth it, after all they are doing it as a team.

Both White, 22, and Morin, 21, are stock car race drivers at the Hudson Speedway in Hudson, New Hampshire. Both of the Wilmington High graduates are part of a team along with other Wilmington natives Bobby Kelly (he is the third racer of the team, but he was away on vacation this past week), Ryan Rappoli, John Michalides, Jason Grady, Christina Gemelaro, Chrissy Packard, Dennis Morse (another racer, see his story also on this page) and Fred Ready. Every Sunday White, Morin, Kelly and Morse

compete, they race around the track at excessive speeds, banging one another's cars then go back to the pit area and work on the car they just banged up.

"The cars ain't pretty, but they run fast," said Morin inbetween his heat and feature race of the rookie level.

Asked why these two get into stripped down cars with big engines that fly around the track with other crazed drivers, the answers were simple: "I love it, the thrill of it, the adrenaline rush," answered White. "You're in control of your own car with thirty other madmen drivers. Every (Sunday) it's something different, every race is different."

"You could have the perfect car with no dents or anything, and come back (after that race) and it would be total junk. Every race is different, you have no idea what can throw you off, that's when you try it figure it all out as a team."

Morin couldn't have agreed more saying, "The adrenaline ... I like winning, actually I love to win, to compete. It's a lot of fun going against (White and Kelly), we come back and talk about it."

"But (Racing) is a sickness, I love to go fast and once its in your blood you can't get it out."

Morin has been racing for three years now. He is now on his third car, a Monte Carlo with a Chevy 350 engine inside. His car is one of the faster ones up there, and he is currently third in points since the season started on April 18 and has run every Sunday with another 5 or 6 weeks left.

On Sunday, in the first race, a Rookie Heat race which is 8 laps around the track, Morin was among the top three through the first four or five laps, before making the turn outside and capturing the lead that he never relinquished. White took a sixth place in the same race. From then it was time for Morin to

RACING PAGE 20



Wilmington resident Dennis Morse stands next to his car before he headed out to the race track to race at the Hudson Speedway in Hudson New Hampshire on Sunday. (Photo by Jeff Nazzaro).

## Thirty years on the track; Morse is still racing strong

By JEFF NAZZARO  
Sports Correspondent

Just a few laps into his heat race at the Hudson Speedway last Sunday night, Dennis Morse of Wilmington felt the power steering on his race-modified Buick Regal go. He fell back in the small pack but forced his No. 25-embazoned dark red car through the tight turns of the quarter-mile oval to the completion of the eight-lap race. When it was over, he pulled into the pit area to talk things over with his mechanic, Bill Walton, like he does after every race.

The two discovered that the power steering belt had fallen off and that it would take too much to fix then and there. After some minor adjustments and the usual checks, Morse was back out on the track, minus power steering, for the 15-lap feature race in the Strictly

Class, which basically adds racing tires (as opposed to the standard radials used in the Rookie Class) and shocks to a stripped down stock car. After nearly 30 years in the game, he's seen it all and is fazed by little.

"It's a hobby, that's all it is," said Morse, who began making trips from Wilmington to race on the small southern New Hampshire stock car circuit at 16. "I'm just up here to have fun."

Now 44, Morse got back into racing after a layoff two years ago when he brought his then 16-year-old son Dennis into the sport. While the younger Morse, now thinking of entering college, has left racing, the elder has continued to run. As he reflected on why he still heads up to New Hampshire nearly every weekend, it became clear just how

important the sport is to him.

"It's like a drug," he said. "Once it's in you it's very hard to get it out. I left for 15 years and once I came back, boom! I was right back in it."

His most recent layoff was only for a few years. Morse moved to Wilmington when he was 12 and with the guidance of a neighbor started racing when he was 16. He left the sport when he was 20 to start a career and a family but 15 years later he found himself going in circles once more - on the racing speedways with the Wilmington Racing Team, a loose circle of racers from the town who were a fixture on the tracks.

He did that for five years, then left again, returning a couple of years ago when his son came of age. Though he's encouraging his

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### What's on tap

## A preview of the previews

by JAMIE POTE  
Sports Editor

Coming in next week's Wilmington and Tewksbury editions, will be team previews for the majority of the high school teams from those respective towns as well as teams from Shawsheen Tech Regional. Inside this issue are the schedules of all of the high school teams in Wilmington and Tewksbury, with the schedule of Shawsheen football. Hopefully next week we'll have the rest of the Shawsheen High schedules for the fall sports.

As you can see by the add that has been running on the left hand side of the front page the last few weeks, we'll be adding a new football section this year starting on September 15 that will feature all news, highlights, features and what have you on the three local teams.

Also new this year will be a scoreboard listing all of the scores of all of the teams from the past week's games. Junior Varsity and Freshmen teams are welcome to the scoreboard or to submit write-ups on your team, feel free to call or submit an article by Monday at 5 pm of each week.

As we did last year, we'll be having the "Stars of the Week", as

well as the "Stars of the Month caricatures". The "From the Press Box" column will also start next week. We will include more youth sports as well, including improved and more Pop Warner/Youth Football round-ups and photos.

So starting next week, a glance of what will be ahead for you readers will be at your fingertips. Then on September 15th, we will have two big, and improved sports sections for you to enjoy.

## Tryouts for Dolphin swim team

The Boys & Girls Club of Greater Lowell Dolphins Swim Team will be holding tryouts for any boy or girl between the ages of six and 18, on Monday, September 13 through Friday, September 17. Practices will be Monday through Friday from 6 to 8 p.m.

The Dolphins are a USS Registered Swim Team that competes in many New England USS Meets. The team also participates in the NENEAPC Swim League, and swims dual meets against other Boys & Girls Clubs involved in the League. All Boys & Girls Club Team members compete in the league's championship meet which is held at one of the local college pools. The team also swims dual meets against teams in the New Hampshire Swim Association League (NHSAL). All

teams in this league are USS registered teams. The NHSAL Championships are held at Phillips Academy in Exeter, N.H.

The Dolphins swim at the Boys & Girls Club pool located at 657 Middlesex St., Lowell, and practices are held Monday through Friday from 6 to 8 p.m.

The teams' coaching staff consists of Head Coach Richard Dion with 16 years coaching experience. Asst. Coach Pauline Ness 15 years along with two additional coaches will round out the coaching staff.

If you have the desire to be a member of a great competitive swim team then the Dolphins is the team for you. But beware - families have a great time too!! For more information call 458-4526, Coach Dick Dion.



Wilmington resident Warren Cormier flies through the air in Grade Ten action while, John Ferrari looks on during Sunday's 3-on-3 basketball tournament held at WHS. (Photo by Jeff Nazzaro).

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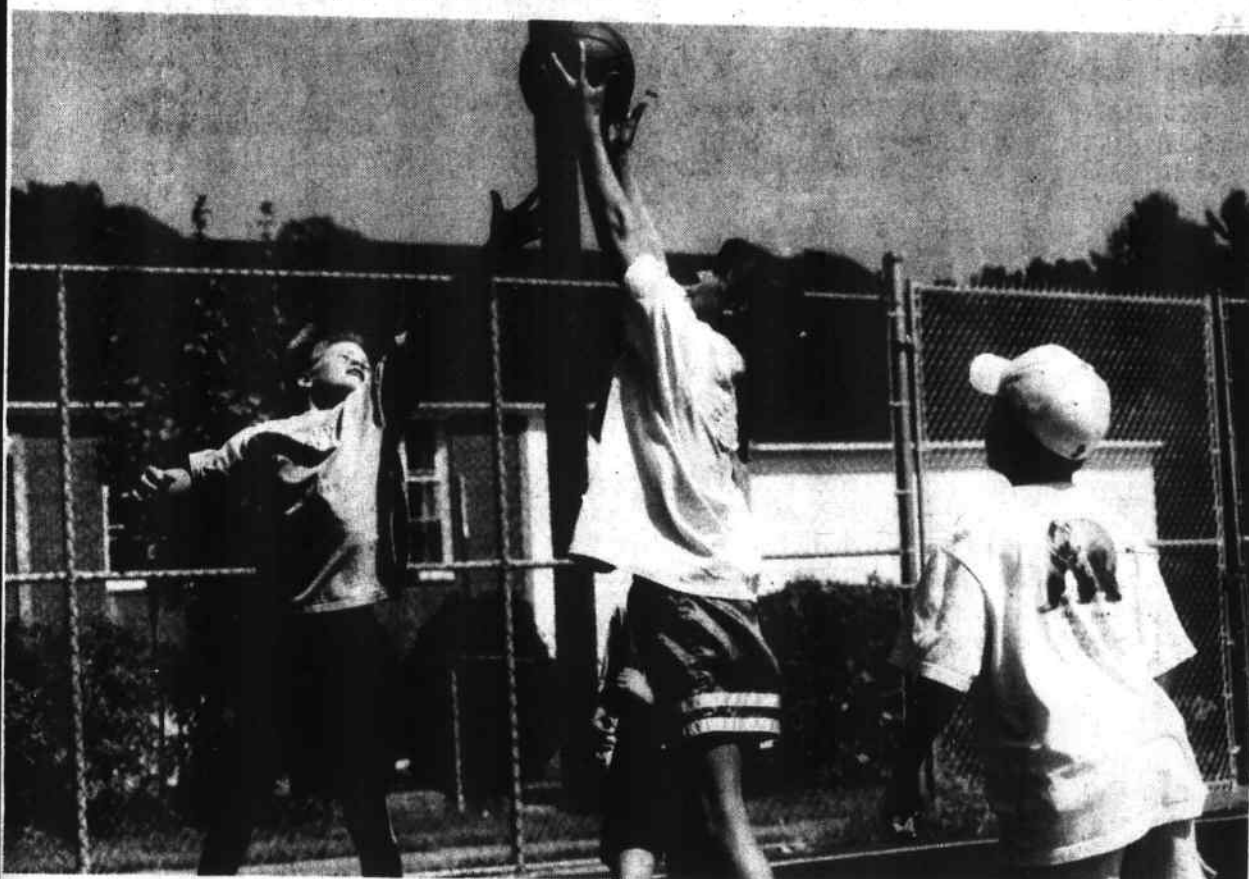
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Above, Marty Tildsley (right) tries to defend Adam Fournier, in Grade 12 play while, below Alissa Bibeau goes up for a loose ball with Mike Fay during Garde Six action of the 3-on-3 basketball tournament held on Sunday at WHS. (Photos by Jeff Nazzaro).



### 3-on-3 basketball tourney a success

The annual Wilmington Police Athletic League's annual 3-on-3 co-ed basketball tournament was held

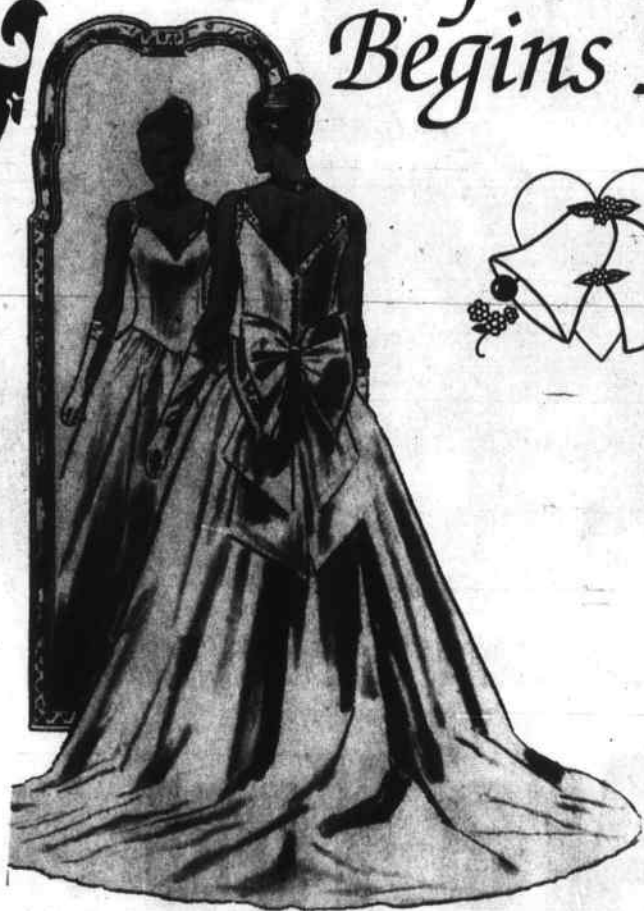
on Sunday and once again it was a great success. The winners are: Grade Six Girls - Alicia Murray, Amber Warnick, Alissa Bibeau and Kara Rosetti; Grade Six Boys - Brian Cairra, Tom Miele and Sean Murphy; Grade Eight Boys - Mike Cavallaro, Kevin Pizzotti and

Derek Trueira; Grade Nine Boys - Mike Jordan, Sean Layton and Pat O'Shea; Grade Ten Boys - David Aronofsky, Warren Cormier, Ryan Graham and Kyle Hendricks; Grade Twelve Boys - Darren Arciero, Sean Quigley and Marty Tildsley.



Wilmington's Joey Herra has his game face on as he tries to get the ball away from Amber Warnick in Grade Six play during the 3-on-3 tournament. (Photo by Jeff Nazzaro).

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# Wilmington High School Fall Athletic Schedules

## Wilmington Varsity and JV Field Hockey

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/8	Wednesday	vs Amesbury	3:30
9/10	Friday	at Triton	3:30
9/13	Monday	at Pentucket	3:30
9/15	Wednesday	at Newburyport	6:00
9/17	Friday	vs No. Andover	3:30
9/25	Saturday	at Masconomet	10:00 am
9/27	Monday	at Rockport	3:30
9/29	Wednesday	vs Masconomet	3:30
10/1	Friday	at No. Andover	6:00
10/5	Tuesday	vs Pentucket	3:30
10/7	Thursday	vs Triton	3:30
10/11	Monday	vs Newburyport	10:00 am
10/13	Wednesday	vs Hamilton-Wenham	3:30
10/15	Friday	at Amesbury	3:30
10/19	Tuesday	vs Manchester	3:30
10/21	Thursday	at Ipswich	3:30
10/25	Monday	at Lynnfield	3:30
10/27	Wednesday	at Georgetown	3:30

## Wilmington Freshmen Field Hockey

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/13	Monday	vs Pentucket	3:30
9/15	Wednesday	vs Newburyport	3:30
9/17	Friday	at No. Andover	3:30
9/27	Monday	vs Amesbury	3:30
9/29	Wednesday	at Masconomet	3:30
10/1	Friday	vs No. Andover	3:30
10/5	Tuesday	at Pentucket	3:30
10/7	Thursday	at Triton	3:30
10/11	Monday	at Newburyport	10:00 AM
10/13	Wednesday	vs Triton	3:30
10/15	Friday	vs Amesbury	3:30
10/19	Tuesday	at Manchester	3:30
10/21	Thursday	vs Ipswich	3:30
10/25	Monday	vs Lynnfield	3:30
10/27	Wednesday	vs Georgetown	3:30

## Wilmington Varsity and JV Volleyball

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/10	Friday	at No. Reading	6:00
9/15	Wednesday	vs Masconomet	6:00
9/17	Friday	at Lexington	3:30
9/22	Wednesday	vs Reading	3:30
9/24	Friday	at Stoneham	3:30
9/27	Monday	vs Melrose	3:30
9/29	Wednesday	at No. Andover	3:30
10/1	Friday	at Lynnfield	3:30
10/4	Monday	vs Hamilton-Wenham	3:30
10/6	Wednesday	vs No. Reading	3:30
10/8	Friday	at Masconomet	3:30
10/13	Wednesday	vs Lexington	3:30
10/15	Friday	at Reading	3:30
10/19	Tuesday	vs Stoneham	3:30
10/22	Friday	at Melrose	3:30
10/26	Tuesday	vs No. Andover	3:30
10/29	Friday	vs Lynnfield	3:30
11/1	Monday	at Hamilton-Wenham	3:30

## Wilmington Golf

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/7	Tuesday	at No. Andover	3:30
9/9	Thursday	at Ipswich	3:30
9/10	Friday	vs Triton	3:30
9/13	Monday	at No. Reading	3:30
9/14	Tuesday	vs Newburyport	3:30
9/16	Thursday	at Manchester	3:30
9/21	Tuesday	vs Rockport	3:30
9/23	Thursday	at Amesbury	3:30
9/24	Friday	vs Lynnfield	3:30
9/27	Monday	at Pentucket	3:30
9/28	Tuesday	at Hamilton-Wenham	3:30
9/30	Thursday	at Masconomet	3:30
10/5	Tuesday	vs Pentucket	3:30
10/8	Friday	vs No. Andover	3:30
10/12	Tuesday	vs Masconomet	3:30
10/14	Thursday	at Triton	3:30
10/19	Tuesday	at Hamilton-Wenham	3:30

## Wilmington Boys and Girls Cross Country

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/13	Monday	vs Amesbury	3:30
9/16	Thursday	at Triton	3:30
9/22	Wednesday	at No Andover	3:30
9/30	Thursday	vs Masco/Pentucket	3:30
10/6	Wednesday	vs Georgetown	3:30
10/13	Wednesday	at Hamilton-Wenham	3:30
10/20	Wednesday	at No. Reading	3:30
10/27	Wednesday	vs Rockport	3:30

## Wilmington Varsity and JV Girls Soccer

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/10	Friday	vs No. Reading	3:30
9/14	Tuesday	at Chelmsford	TBA
9/16	Thursday	vs Masconomet	3:30
9/22	Wednesday	at Lynnfield	3:30
9/24	Friday	at North Reading	5:00
9/27	Monday	at Tewksbury	3:30
9/30	Thursday	at Masconomet	3:30
10/4	Monday	vs North Andover	3:30
10/6	Wednesday	at Pentucket	3:30
10/8	Friday	at Triton	3:30
10/12	Tuesday	vs Newburyport (JV only)	3:30
10/12	Tuesday	at Newburyport (V only)	6:00
10/14	Thursday	at Hamilton-Wenham	3:30
10/16	Saturday	vs Chelmsford	TBA
10/18	Monday	vs Amesbury	3:30
10/20	Wednesday	at Manchester	3:30
10/20	Wednesday	at Rockport	3:30
10/22	Friday	vs Ipswich	3:30
10/26	Tuesday	vs Lynnfield	3:30
10/28	Thursday	vs Georgetown	3:30

## Wilmington Varsity Football

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/11	Saturday	vs No. Andover	1:30
9/17	Friday	at Masconomet	4:00
9/25	Saturday	vs Amesbury	1:30
10/2	Saturday	at Triton	11:00 AM
10/9	Saturday	vs Pentucket	2:00
10/16	Saturday	at Hamilton-Wenham	2:00
10/23	Saturday	vs No. Reading	1:30
10/30	Friday	at Newburyport	7:00 PM
11/6	Saturday	at Lynnfield	2:00
11/13	Saturday	vs Ipswich	1:30
11/25	Thursday	at Tewksbury	10:00 AM

## Wilmington JV Football

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/13	Monday	vs No. Andover	3:30
9/20	Monday	at Masconomet	3:30
9/27	Monday	vs Amesbury	3:30
10/4	Monday	at Triton	3:30
10/11	Monday	vs Pentucket	10:00 AM
10/18	Monday	at Hamilton-Wenham	3:30
10/25	Monday	vs No. Reading	3:30
11/1	Monday	at Newburyport	3:00
11/8	Monday	at Lynnfield	3:00
11/15	Monday	vs Ipswich	3:00
11/20	Saturday	at Tewksbury	10:00 AM

## Wilmington Varsity and JV Boys Soccer

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/10	Friday	at No. Reading	5:00
9/16	Thursday	at Masconomet	3:30
9/22	Wednesday	vs Lynnfield	3:30
9/24	Friday	vs No. Reading	3:30
9/28	Tuesday	at Rockport	3:30
9/30	Thursday	vs Masconomet	3:30
10/4	Monday	at No. Andover	3:30
10/6	Wednesday	vs Pentucket	3:30
10/8	Friday	vs Triton	3:30
10/12	Tuesday	at Newburyport (V only)	6:00
10/12	Tuesday	vs Newburyport (JV only)	3:30
10/14	Thursday	vs Hamilton-Wenham	3:30
10/16	Saturday	at Tewksbury	5:00
10/18	Monday	at Amesbury	3:30
10/20	Wednesday	vs Manchester	3:30
10/23	Saturday	at Ipswich	10:00 am
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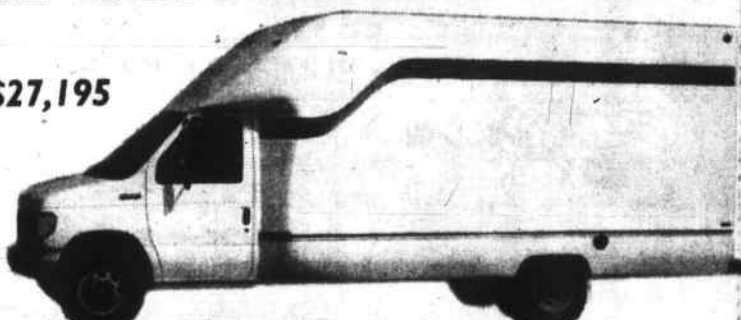
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## Local High School Fall Athletic Schedules

### Wilmington Freshmen Football

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/10	Friday	at No. Andover	3:30
9/16	Thursday	vs Masconomet	3:30
9/24	Friday	at Amesbury	3:30
10/1	Friday	vs Triton	3:30
10/8	Friday	at Pentucket	3:30
10/15	Friday	vs Hamilton-Wenham	3:30
10/22	Friday	at No. Reading	3:30
10/29	Friday	vs Newburyport	3:00
11/4	Thursday	vs Lynnfield	3:00
11/12	Friday	at Ipswich	3:00
11/19	Friday	at Tewksbury	3:00

### Tewksbury Varsity Football

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/18	Saturday	at Everett	1:30
9/24	Friday	at Haverhill	7:00
10/2	Saturday	vs Lowell	1:30
10/8	Friday	at Methuen	7:00
10/16	Saturday	vs Billerica	1:30
10/23	Saturday	vs Andover	1:30
10/29	Friday	at Dracut	7:00
11/6	Saturday	vs Central Catholic	2:00
11/12	Friday	at Chelmsford	7:00
11/25	Thursday	vs Wilmington	10:00 am

### Tewksbury JV/V Boys Soccer

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/13	Monday	at Haverhill	3:30
9/15	Wednesday	vs Andover	3:30
9/17	Friday	at Billerica	3:30
9/23	Thursday	at Chelmsford	5:30/7
9/27	Monday	vs Lowell	3:30
9/30	Thursday	at Dracut	3:30
10/2	Saturday	at Central Catholic	10:00 am
10/4	Monday	vs Haverhill	3:30
10/6	Wednesday	at Methuen	3:30
10/9	Saturday	at Andover	5:30/7
10/11	Monday	vs Billerica	2:00
10/15	Friday	vs Lawrence (JV only)	3:30
10/16	Saturday	vs Wilmington	5:00
10/18	Monday	vs Chelmsford	3:30
10/20	Wednesday	at Lowell	3:30
10/22	Friday	vs Dracut	3:30
10/26	Tuesday	vs Central Catholic	3:30
10/28	Thursday	vs Methuen	3:30
10/30	Saturday	at Wilmington	10:00 am

### Tewksbury Junior Varsity Football

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/20	Monday	vs Everett	3:30
9/27	Monday	vs Haverhill	3:30
10/4	Monday	at Lowell	3:30
10/11	Monday	vs Methuen	10:00 am
10/18	Monday	at Billerica	3:30
10/25	Monday	at Andover	3:30
11/1	Monday	vs Dracut	3:00
11/8	Monday	at Central Catholic	3:00
11/15	Monday	vs Chelmsford	3:00

### Tewksbury Freshmen Football

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/17	Friday	vs Everett	3:30
9/24	Friday	vs Haverhill	3:30
10/1	Friday	at Lowell	3:30
10/8	Friday	vs Methuen	3:30
10/15	Friday	at Billerica	3:30
10/22	Friday	at Andover	3:30
10/29	Friday	vs Dracut	3:30
11/5	Friday	at Central Catholic	3:30
11/12	Friday	vs Chelmsford	3:00
11/20	Saturday	at Wilmington	10:00 am

### Tewksbury JV/V Girls Soccer

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/14	Tuesday	at Central Catholic	3:30
9/16	Thursday	vs Andover	3:30
9/20	Monday	at Methuen	3:30/7
9/22	Wednesday	vs Notre Dame	3:30
9/24	Friday	vs Groton-Dunstable (V only)	3:30
9/27	Monday	vs Wilmington (V only, JV at Wilm.)	3:30
9/28	Tuesday	vs Chelmsford	3:30
10/1	Friday	at Haverhill	3:30
10/4	Monday	at Dracut	3:30
10/7	Thursday	vs Lowell	3:30
10/9	Saturday	vs Central Catholic	2:00
10/13	Wednesday	at Notre Dame	3:30
10/19	Tuesday	vs Dracut	3:30
10/21	Thursday	at Lowell	3:30
10/25	Monday	at Chelmsford	3:30
10/27	Wednesday	at Billerica	3:30
10/29	Friday	vs Haverhill	3:30
11/1	Monday	at No. Reading	3:00

### Tewksbury Golf

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/13	Monday	vs Central Catholic	3:30
9/14	Tuesday	at Andover	3:30
9/17	Friday	at Haverhill	3:30
9/20	Monday	vs Dracut	3:30
9/21	Tuesday	vs Chelmsford	3:30
9/27	Monday	at Methuen	3:30
9/29	Wednesday	vs Billerica	3:30
10/1	Friday	at Chelmsford	3:30
10/4	Monday	vs Andover	3:30
10/5	Tuesday	at Billerica	3:30
10/7	Thursday	at Dracut	3:30
10/12	Tuesday	vs Haverhill	3:30
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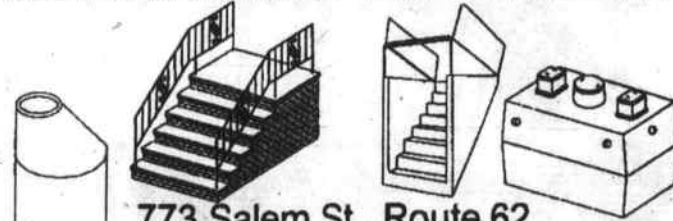
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# Tewksbury High School Fall Athletic Schedules

## Tewksbury Boys and Girls Cross Country

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/11	Saturday	vs Holliston	10:00 am
9/16	Thursday	vs Haverhill	3:30
9/22	Wednesday	at Chelmsford	3:30
9/29	Wednesday	vs Methuen/Dracut	3:30
10/6	Wednesday	at Lowell	3:30
10/13	Wednesday	at Andover	3:30
10/20	Wednesday	vs Notre Dame	3:30
10/26	Tuesday	at Lawrence	3:30

## Tewksbury JV/V Field Hockey

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/9	Thursday	vs Tyngsboro	3:30
9/13	Monday	at Chelmsford	5:30/7
9/15	Wednesday	at Haverhill	5:30/7
9/17	Friday	at Lawrence	3:30
9/21	Tuesday	vs Methuen	3:30
9/24	Friday	vs Westford	3:30
9/27	Monday	vs Lowell	3:30
9/29	Wednesday	vs Dracut	3:30
10/1	Friday	vs Andover	3:30
10/4	Monday	at Tyngsboro	3:30
10/6	Wednesday	vs Chelmsford	3:30
10/8	Friday	vs Haverhill	3:30
10/12	Tuesday	vs Lawrence	3:30
10/14	Thursday	at Methuen	5:30/7
10/18	Monday	at No. Middlesex	3:30
10/20	Wednesday	at Lowell	3:30
10/22	Friday	at Dracut	3:30
10/25	Friday	at Andover	3:30

## Tewksbury JV/V Volleyball

Date	Day	Opponent	Time
9/16	Thursday	vs Lowell	3:30
9/21	Tuesday	vs Methuen	3:30
9/23	Thursday	at Andover	3:30
9/27	Monday	at Concord-Carlisle	3:30
9/28	Tuesday	at Dracut	6:30
9/30	Thursday	vs Notre Dame	3:30
10/5	Tuesday	vs Haverhill	3:30
10/7	Thursday	vs Central Catholic	3:30
10/12	Tuesday	at Westford	3:30
10/13	Wednesday	at Lawrence	3:30
10/18	Monday	vs Billerica	3:30
10/20	Wednesday	at Lowell	6:30
10/22	Friday	at Chelmsford	3:30
10/25	Monday	vs Andover	3:30
10/27	Wednesday	at Notre Dame	6:30
10/29	Friday	at Central Catholic	3:30
11/1	Monday	at Chelmsford vs Westford	5:00

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O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart, to succor me in this request; there are none that can withstand your power.

O, show me herein you are my Mother. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to Thee. (3 times)

Sweet Mother, I place this request in your hands. (3 times)

Say for 3 consecutive days and publish. God Bless

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J.K.

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Date	Day	Opponent	Time
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9/25	Saturday	at Northeast	10:30
10/2	Saturday	at St. Mary's of Lynn	7:00
10/9	Saturday	at Minuteman Tech	2:00
10/16	Saturday	vs Whittier	1:30
10/23	Saturday	vs Chelsea	10:30 am
10/30	Saturday	vs Lynn Tech	10:30 am
11/5	Friday	at Gr. Lawrence	7:00
11/13	Saturday	vs Tyngsboro	10:30 am
11/25	Thursday	at Gr. Lowell	10:15 am

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Julie and Katie Martell, Jenna Bristol and April Eringis on board

# Success follows travelling softball team

Julie and Katie Martell of Wilmington along with Jenna Bristol and April Eringis of Tewksbury recently finished a very successful softball tournament season.

Playing for the 12U Bay State Bandits, their team reached the final game in five out of nine regional tournaments. Beginning with a Pony League National Qualifier in Chelmsford, the Bandits proved themselves to be talented and competitive by reaching the final round only to lose a close 3-1 game.

The following weekend in Worcester, the Bandits pulled off the nearly impossible feat of losing all three games during the seeding round only to come back on Sunday and win all three games. The Sunday accomplishment featured a trifecta of wins against increasingly tougher opponents. The final game featured a strong pitching performance from Bristol and a key game tying, two out rbi by Katie Martell.

The tournament victory qualified the Bandits to participate in the Pony League Tournament of Champions, national championship in Sterling, Virginia.

The next few weekends featured a strong Bandit showing in an ASA national qualifier in Lowell where teams from as far away as southern California participated.

During the weekend of June 25-

27, the Bandits again proved to be one of the region's premier teams by going undefeated throughout a NSA national qualifier in the Methuen Classic. Again, key performances by Eringis, Bristol and

the Martell sisters helped the team through five consecutive victories. Bristols' near unhittable pitching coupled with a game tying rbi by Kate and the game winning hit by Julie Martell, capped a very competitive final game victory.

July 4th weekend, while most were on holiday, the bandits were again in Worcester, this time strutting their stuff in the NSA State Championship Tournament. Five games in one day proved to be too much as the Bandits finished as runners up to their arch nemesis, Dracut Jaguars. It was the Jaguars the bandits defeated back in May to earn their berth to the Nationals.

Their next tournament in Swansea, MA had mixed results as the Bandits seemed to go cold after early round victories. Again Jenna Bristol proved to be one of the region's toughest pitchers with strong showings in every game she played. Strong defense by April Eringis in left field, Julie Martell at third base and Katie Martell at first, provided support for Bristol and the rest of the Bandit team.

The next weekend in Stratford,

CT, the Bandits had yet another strong showing, defeating teams from New Jersey, New York and Connecticut. A three run home run by Katie Martell broke open a close game against the CT Charmers as Jenna Bristol again held the opponents scoreless in her three innings

of relief.

The season finished the last week in July when the Bandits competed for the Pony League National Championship in Sterling, VA. After two consecutive victories against Tampa, FL and Freehold, NJ, the

Bandits fought hard, but lost their next two games. In five consecutive days of 100 degree heat, the Bandits showed they could play with anybody and compete.

The Bandits' two tough losses were by a total of three runs. The Bandits proved themselves to be competitive with teams from around the country, winning most, and never being "out" of any game. April Eringis' power hitting potential kept most outfielders on their

toes, defending one of her blasts. Jenna Bristol, with a six pitch repertoire, kept most batters at bay, recording many strikeouts and at least four games where she kept her opponents to two hits or less. Katie Martell's strong defensive play at first base along with many key hits, helped the Bandits to many wins. Her sister Julie, converted from catcher to third base, had the team's highest contact percentage earning her the leadoff spot in the last half of the season.

## Tewksbury Rod and Gun News

**Monthly drawings**  
The name drawn Tuesday, August 3 for \$50 was Walter Durkin.  
The name drawn on Tuesday, August 17, for \$60 was Charlie Swanson.

Neither one was present so the amount will keep growing. Participants are urged to make the meetings "because your name could be drawn next time."

**Family outing**  
Gene Moore has volunteered to chair the TR&G Family Outing. Please give Gene your support in helping out with this function to insure that you and your family can enjoy the day. The Outing is September 12 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The kitchen staff is planning a chicken barbecue for \$5.50. There will also be hot dogs, hamburgers and kielbasa on a stick. There will also be a variety of events for everyone to enjoy.

The Raffle Committee has enclosed tickets for the family outing raffle. First prize is a 13" TV/VCR, second prize is \$100 cash, and third prize is \$50 cash. Please support the club and return your tickets with the appropriate donation (tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5) to John Haas, or better yet see John to get additional tickets and sell them to your friends and family. The drawing will be held during the family outing September 12 and you do not need to be present to win. Please remember to fill in your name on your tickets before returning them. Make your checks payable to Tewksbury Rod & Gun Club, and mail back to: Tewksbury Rod & Gun Club, % John Haas, 79 Chandler St., Tewksbury, MA 01876.

Brenda Shepherd is in charge of the cake sale this year. She is looking for everyone to take in something to sell on the day of the family outing to make it all worthwhile. Please see what you can do to help her out.

**Merrimack Valley Pistol League (MVPL)**  
Although it is still a over a month away, the Merrimack Valley Pistol League will be starting sometime in October. Tewksbury is currently fielding seven teams in this league, and there may be a few open positions on one of them. Or if you can't find any openings, start a new team. Over the past few years there have been at least three new teams developed from the Tewksbury membership. Also, remember that your dues must be paid in order for you to sign up and shoot on these teams. The current teams and their captains include:

Tewksbury 5, Rich Lumsden  
Tewksbury 2, Henry Furlong  
Tewksbury 3, Gary Littlefield  
Tewksbury 4, Bill Martino  
Tewksbury Bullets, John Haas  
Tewksbury 7, Jim Chaplin  
Tewksbury 8, Jack Boutin.  
Shotgun slug shoot

The second annual shotgun slug shoot is scheduled for September 18. Shooters are encouraged to sign up prior to 9:30 a.m. on the 18th, although shooters will be allowed to shoot if the last relay has not been completed. See Joe Paolilli for more information.

**Horseshoe tournament**  
The Fall Horseshoe Tournament has been scheduled for September 19. Registration is required by 11:30

a.m. Team selection will be by blind draw. See John Haas for more information.

**Personal protection**  
The next personal protection course is scheduled for September 25 and 26. Contact George Rost (978) 951-6286 or Debbie Lumsden (978) 658-3569 for more information.

**New members**  
The club has welcomed Pat Carbone and Neldy Arsenault, new members for July 1999.

## Registration for Tewksbury youth girls basketball

Registration for Tewksbury Girls' 1999-2000 Recreational Basketball Program will be held Monday, Sept. 13 and Wednesday, Sept. 15 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the John Wynn Middle School cafeteria.

The Rec League Program is for Tewksbury girl residents between the ages of nine and 14 as of December 31. Fees for the Rec League are \$40 per player. All registrants must provide a birth certificate at registration.

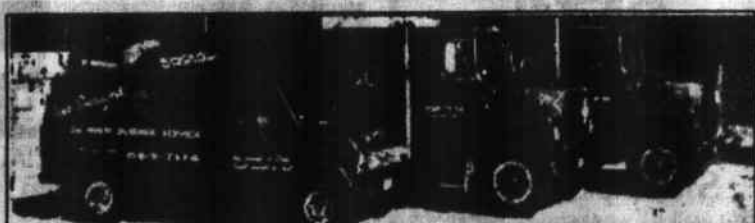
The Clinic Program is open for residents between the ages of seven and eight as of December 31. Clinic registration fees are \$25 per player. All clinic registrants must provide a birth certificate at registration. Registration is limited to a first come, first served basis. Contact Bob O'Brien at 851-3943 for additional information.

## Pittington to conduct basketball clinic

Wilmington resident Andrew Pittington, head women's basketball coach at Northern Essex Community College will be conducting a pre-season basketball skills clinic in conjunction with the college for girls entering grades eight through

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#### TOWN OF TEWKSBURY



#### CONSERVATION COMMISSION LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC HEARING DETERMINATION OF APPLICABILITY

Notice is hereby given that the Tewksbury Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on September 8, 1999 at 7:30 PM in the Town Hall Auditorium, 1009 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 on an application filed by Mass Electric Company for a determination of Applicability.

Said property is located on Old Boston Rd., Main Street. Right of way.

Replacement of structures and power lines.  
William D. Hallisey  
Chairman

S1; 993

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Said property is located on Griffin Way. Assessor's Map(s) 73 Lot(s) 19. Proposed cellular antenna @ Wynn Middle School.

S1; 994

William D. Hallisey  
Chairman

### LEGAL NOTICE

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#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS 1999 Townwide

**Fall Hydrant Flushing Program**  
The Tewksbury Department of Public Works, Water Division will begin a Townwide Fall Flushing Program beginning the week of September 7, 1999 and continuing approximately five or six weeks through the first or second week of October 1999, Monday through Thursday 7:00 P.M. to 11:00 P.M. and could be subjected to change. This flushing may cause discoloration of the water or temporary loss of pressure. If either problem persists for any length of time or some other problem develops you may call the Water Treatment Plant at (978) 858-0345 during the nighttime hours of Flushing, or call the Water Department days during the hours of 8:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. at (978) 640-4440 Ext. 5.

Tewksbury Department  
of Public Works  
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#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS INVITATION TO BID

The Town of Tewksbury acting through its Town Manager, invites bids for:

One (1) Used Boom Truck 1995 or Newer. Bidders may obtain copies of the specifications at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, 999 Whipple Road, Tewksbury, MA. Bids will be accepted at the Superintendent's Office up to 10:00 a.m., September 16, 1999.

All bids must be submitted on forms provided by the Office of the Superintendent of Public Works, in sealed envelopes plainly marked "Bids on One (1) Used Boom Truck." No such envelope shall contain more than one bid.

The Town Manager in his sole judgment reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any parts thereof, deemed to serve the best interest of the Town of Tewksbury, in accordance with the general laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

BY: William R. Burris, Jr.  
Superintendent

FOR: David G. Cressman  
Town Manager  
S1; 990

### LEGAL NOTICE

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#### INVITATION TO BID ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

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Plans and specifications are available at the Town Hall, Administrative Service Department, 1009 Main St., Tewksbury, MA. Bids will be accepted up to September 17, 1999, @ 2:00 PM at the Town Manager's office.

Ellsworth Hart  
Administrative services  
S1; 988

### PUBLIC NOTICE

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CITY/TOWN OF: Wilmington

PROJECT NAME:

APPLICANT: John Murphy

LOCATION: Christine Drive

PURPOSE: Minor sewer extension for twelve (12) residences

TRANSMITTAL NO: 204933

DATE OF PRINTING

PROPOSED ACTION: Tentative determination to issue

The above application, along with applicable laws, regulations and procedures are available for inspection at the above address. Comments on the proposed action or a request for a public hearing on the proposed action must be received at the above address within 30 days of this notice.

John Zajac  
Bureau of Resource Protection  
S1; 992

### LEGAL NOTICE

#### TOWN OF TEWKSBURY



#### PLANNING BOARD LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING BYLAW

Notice is hereby given that the Tewksbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 27, 1999 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall Auditorium, 1009 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876 to discuss the following proposed amendments to the Tewksbury Zoning Bylaws:

I. Section 3 Zoning Districts, to rezone Tewksbury Assessors Map 40 Lot 4 from R40 (residential one acre) to MFD/55 (multiple family dwelling/55 and over). Said lot has frontage on River Road and is comprised of 7.35 acres of land. Said lot currently houses the Trull Brook Florist Shop and is located across the street from Merrimack Drive.

II. Section 4.12.3 (g) Multiple Family Dwelling 55 District. REQUIREMENTS, by deleting the existing language and inserting the following new language to section 4.12.3 (g):

The site shall have a minimum lot area of six (6) acres with the 150 feet of frontage on a public way and with the nearest new structure a minimum of 50 feet from any public way. The Planning Board may waive the site access requirement of 150 feet of frontage on a public way to a minimum of 40 feet of frontage on a public way provided that a suitable private access road into the site area can be constructed with the reduced frontage. There shall be not more than a maximum of six (6) units per acre nor more than 3 bedroom per unit, or more than eighteen (18) bedrooms per acre.

Within the site area the following distance parameters shall apply:

(Paragraphs 4.12.3 (g) 1. Through 4.12.3 (g) 3.9 shall remain unchanged)

These proposed Zoning Bylaw Amendments may be examined in the Planning and Conservation Department, 999 Whipple Road, Tewksbury, MA 01876 during normal business hours Monday through Friday.

David J. Plunkett  
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BY: William R. Burris, Jr.  
Superintendent

FOR: David G. Cressman  
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**Nutcracker Trip**, Wang Center, Sunday, Nov. 28 from 2 to 8 p.m., \$47.50. Trip includes orchestra seat, bus and free time at Quincy Market.

## Wilmington Schools

**Week of Sept. 6**  
**Elementary schools**  
Monday: Holiday, no school  
Tuesday: Hot dog on a roll, potato chips, seasoned vegetable, chilled fruit, milk/juice, snack cake.  
Wednesday: "Breakfast for Lunch" mini waffles with syrup, ham slice, chilled fruit, milk/juice, Jello with topping

Thursday: Hamburger or cheeseburger on a roll, pickle slices, macaroni salad, chilled fruit, milk/juice, brownie; buy lunch and receive a "veggie" eraser.

Friday: Italian style pizza, pepperoni optional, tossed garden salad, breadstick, chilled fruit, milk/juice, ice cream.

**Middle school**  
Monday: Holiday, no school.  
Tuesday: Hot dog on a roll, potato chips, seasoned vegetable, chilled fruit, milk/juice, snack cake.  
Wednesday: Popcorn chicken bites, French fries, seasoned vegetable, chilled fruit, milk/juice, dessert.

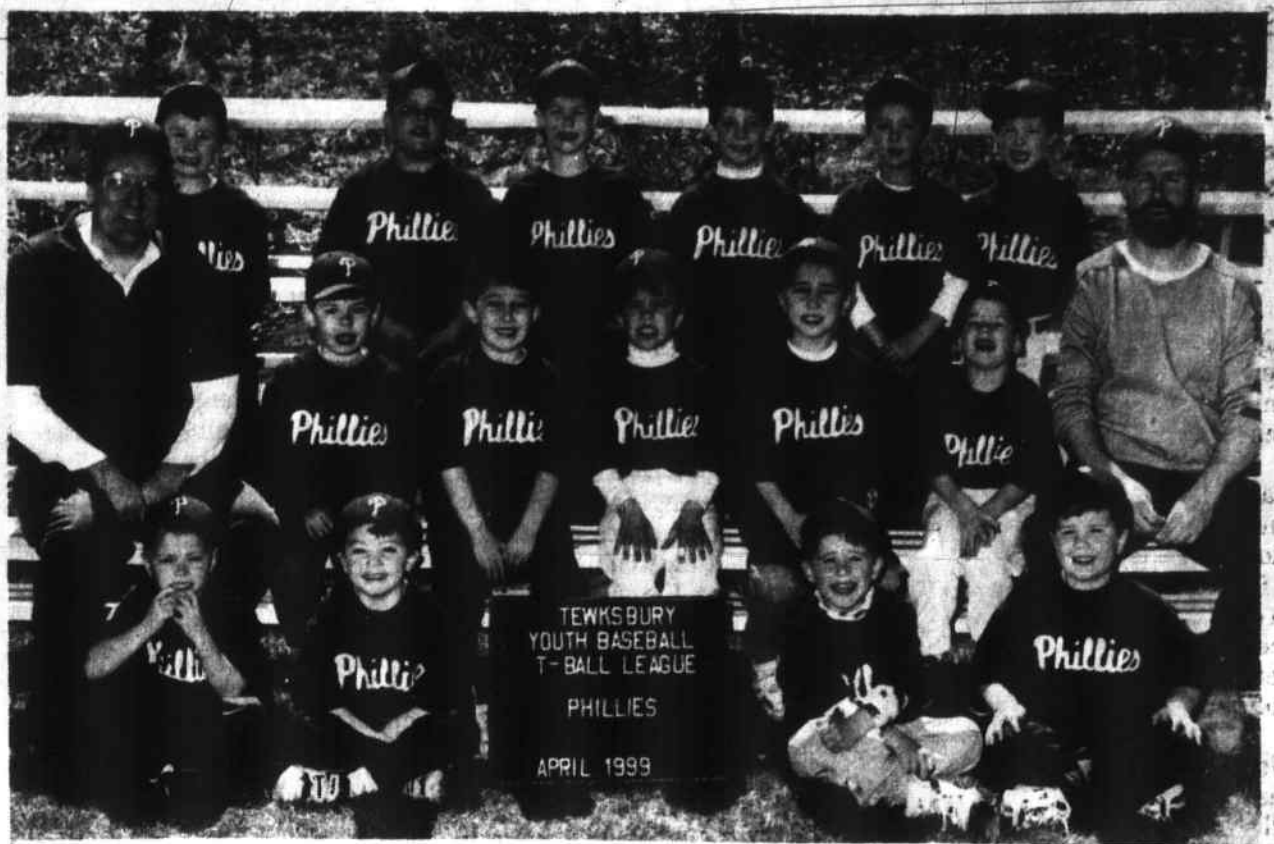
Thursday: Hamburger or cheeseburger on a roll, pickle slices, macaroni slices, chilled fruit, brownie.

Friday: Italian style pizza, pepperoni optional, tossed garden salad, breadstick, chilled fruit, milk/juice, ice cream.

**High school**  
Monday: Holiday, no school  
Tuesday: Chicken "Your Way," grilled chicken patty, roll, cheese or bacon or tomato and lettuce, hash browns, seasoned green beans, chilled fruit, milk/juice, dessert.  
Wednesday: "Mama Anna's" pasta bar, seasoned vegetable, French bread and butter, chilled fruit, milk/juice, pudding with topping.

Thursday: Sal's pizza, tossed salad, chilled fruit, milk/juice, brownie.

Friday: Terriyaki chicken nuggets, whipped potato, seasoned vegetable, dinner roll, chilled fruit, milk/juice, ice cream.



The Tewksbury Tee-Ball Phillies enjoyed their season. (Photo by LifeTouch).

## Tee-Ball Phillies have come a long way

The 1999 Tewksbury Tee Ball Phillies recently completed an outstanding season under the guidance of coaches Scott Irwin and Mike Willegal. The Phillies were a devastating offensive team led by returning sluggers Christopher Irwin, Johnny Tomafy, Rich Kirby, Michael Thoits and Chris Deacetis.

This group sent many an opposing outfielder running to chase down their hits. Adding to the offensive display were hitting stars DJ Ray, Billy Abbott, Derek Tarpay and John Willegal. Their timely hitting produced many runs this year for the Phillies. When they weren't slugging the ball around the field, the Phillies were getting outstanding defensive help from Christopher Bettano, Joseph Vitale and Dean Alves.

This group could always be counted on to make the big play on the field. Providing the speed on the basepaths were Kelsey Accetta and Harrison Mackey. This duo scored many runs and provided a lot of excitement on the bases. The coaches were especially impressed with several key players such as Willie McCreedy, Frankie McInnis and Thomas Porter who showed outstanding improvement throughout the year, combining hitting, throwing and fielding skills. All in all, the team had an outstanding year of both fun and learning.

Those players who will be moving on to Minor Farm next year will be a great addition to any team while the returning Phillies look forward to another season of fun in the year 2000.

The coaching staff would like to thank the players for their outstanding effort during the year and the parents for their support.

## Tewksbury schools

**Week of September 6**  
**All schools**  
Prices, including milk: Elementary, \$1.20; Middle and Ryan, \$1.30; Memorial High, \$1.40.

Monday: Labor Day, no school.  
Tuesday: Chicken terriyaki with whipped potatoes, pretzel, sliced carrots, applesauce cup, milk.

Wednesday: Chilled juice, beef and cheese nachos with shredded lettuce, tomato cubes and onions, rice, milk, yellow frosted cake.

Thursday: Chilled orange juice, hot dog on bun with mustard and relish, crunchy coleslaw, milk, fresh fruit.

Friday: Chilled juice, homemade pizza with tomato and cheese, crisp garden salad, milk, dessert.

## Shawsheen Tech

**Week of September 6**  
**Line III**  
Monday: Holiday, no school.  
Tuesday: No school  
Wednesday: Chicken nuggets with dipping sauces, mashed potato, corn cobbettes, hot roll, fresh and canned fruit, baked dessert, milk.

Thursday: Cheeseburger macaroni bake, vegetable, hot roll, fresh and canned fruit, milk.

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## After 30 years of racing, Morse still going strong

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son to pursue college, Morse also would like to see him get back into racing. Car racing is a pursuit he thinks could be a positive influence for a lot of teenagers, particularly those into automobiles who might otherwise get into trouble with them on the streets.

Morse usually runs at the larger Star Speedway in Epping and every year there is the big Octoberfest meet in Lee that attracts some 300 racers from a variety of divisions for a weekend of racing and camping and cooking out. But Sunday he was at Hudson after not being able

to get his car ready for Star on Saturday night.

At Hudson he enjoys the camaraderie of the small circle of racers, most notably the Green Turf Racing Team, also of Wilmington. But whichever track it is, the thrill remains the same.

A lot goes into these souped-up Buicks and Chevys and Oldsmobiles that tool around the sharp-cornered, high-banked tracks, banging into each other in search of the checkered flag and maybe a couple hundred bucks. It's all about time and money and if you don't love the sport, need the thrill, crave that drug Morse talked about, you're just not gonna last.

"Either you like it or you don't, it's a very expensive hobby," he said. "Every year I say 'I'm getting out, I'm getting out,' but I enjoy it so much."

Morse gets sponsorship money from his brother-in-law's company, Dent Wizard, for which he has plastered the name on his car, including in huge gold letters across the hood. Morse also has his own company name, DPM Mechanical, his Lowell-based business out of which he does freelance welding and pipe fitting, on his car.

In the end most of the green comes out of his own pocket, and it adds up. Some weeks, he said, he can't afford to get the car ready to run, and those weeks he takes off for the stark contrast of a peaceful fishing trip, or else he shows up to Star or Hudson just to watch, to feed off the action.

"I don't mind missing a couple of weeks," he said, "and go fishing instead of racing, relax for a change."

Maybe someday Morse will make the switch full-time, become a weekend angler instead of a racer, hunting for rainbow trout and small-mouth bass instead of fast engines and checkered flags. But for now the racing drug still flows through his body and so on weekends his body is in his Buick and his Buick is on the track.

## Soccer referee course offered in Tewksbury

The Tewksbury Youth Soccer League (TYSL) will be holding a soccer referee instruction class for players who want to referee under eight through under 15 games during the fall season. This class will be held Wednesday, September 8 for both new and experienced referees. The class will be from 7 to 9 p.m. in the community training

room at the Tewksbury Police Station.

Referees are paid by the soccer league and class attendees are given priority on game assignments. All potential referees and coaches are encouraged to attend.

For more information call Ed Flanagan at 851-7580.

## Coaches sought for softball

Tewksbury Girls Softball League is currently accepting applications for next year's travel team (2000) coaches, ages 10 through 16. Anyone interested is urged to contact Bill Surran at 658-7472 by September 5.

## Youth baseball registration, September 8, 9 and 11

Tewksbury Youth Baseball registration for the 2000 season will be held on the following dates:

- September 8, 6 to 9 p.m.
- September 9, 6 to 9 p.m.
- September 11, 9 a.m. to noon.

Registration will be held in the equipment building at the East Street Fields (Across from Tewksbury State Hospital). Everyone wishing to play must register. Registration is open to all youths who will reach the age of five by

July 31, 2000 and be no older than 16 on July 31, 2000.

The registration fee for tee ball (ages five and six) is \$65. For all other, the fee is \$95 with a maximum of \$200 per family. A birth certificate is required with new registrations.

These are the only dates for registration. No one will be able to register at tryouts this year. Direct questions to Joe Strong at 851-5568.

## Boys basketball tryouts, and registration sign-ups

Tewksbury boys basketball travel tryouts will be held at the Wynn Middle School Monday, Sept. 20; Friday, Sept. 24 and Mon., Sept. 27:

- Grade five, 5:30 p.m.
- Grade six, 6:30 p.m.
- Grade seven, 7:30 p.m.
- Grade eight, 8:30 p.m.

All Tewksbury boys entering proper grade in Sept. '99 should arrive 15 minutes before scheduled time. Direct questions to Paul Sinkus, 657-7396 or Bob Marcin, 851-6085.

Tewksbury boys basketball reg-

istration will be held at the East Street Baseball Building. Boys between the ages of seven and 14 as of November 30, 1999. Note new age for clinic players, seven years old by August 31, 1999.

Saturday, Sept. 18, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 20, 6 to 9 p.m.  
Saturday, Sept. 25, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

After September 25, late fee/wait list. New players need birth certificate. Volunteers needed. Direct questions to Bob Marcin at 851-6085 or Jack McLaughlin at 851-0274.

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(Above) Wilmington resident Eric Morin (in the car) turns on the engine of his race car, as his friend Chris White works on it inbetween races, while, (below) White works on his own car alone. (Photos by Jeff Nazzaro)



## Friendly competition has come along way

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gloat a little.

"Eric's showing us all up," said White. "He certainly has one of the fastest cars up there."

Then both Morin and White immediately came back to the pits, working on their cars some more, before going back onto the race track about two hours later in the Rookie Feature Race, which is 20 laps around the track. This time it was Morin who was leading most of the way but spun out later in the race. White meanwhile took a fifth.

"I bought my car stocked and we built it from ground up," said Morin. "It's my third one, the other two are

wrecked beyond repair. We're constantly working on each other's cars. We all know each other, and we're always helping each other. If this guy needs a part we give it to him, and we're always exchanging parts and ideas. We try to make it the best for ourselves and each other."

As for the financial part, everything comes out of a racer's pocket, unless he can get some help from sponsors. On Morin's white Monte Carlo, he has his sponsors' names printed in orange, for instance, "Green Turf Landscaping" the business he and another partner Scott Baker started up from scratch a few years ago. He also has been

supported by Michalides Tires, DPM Mechanical, Rogers Radiator, CJM Builders, Lou's Custom Exhaust and Ready Awning. If one wins a race he gets \$50 cash, with the runners up getting \$35 on the way down to \$5.

"It's a lot of work ... a lot, all for fifty bucks. But it's not about the money; it's for the love of the sport."

White's car is a Oldsmobile Cutlass with a Chevy V-8 Engine and his sponsors include CJM Builders, Wilmington Exxon, Scott's Auto Cleaning, as well as Green Turf and Michalides Tires. This is his third year racing and second car. He has moved up to the Rookie Level, but isn't sure if he wants to move up to the Strictly Level where Morse is and Morin hopes to be next year.

White admitted that it has taken him a while to get the experience, to know all of the ins-and-outs of racing on and off the track. Even though he hasn't got much cash in return, he doesn't care.

"So far I'm winless," he said chuckling. "I've taken a few thirds and fifths in the feature races and

several seconds and thirds in the heat races, but I've never taken a first in either. But every week you're constantly learning new things, whether it's driving situations and areas and how to avoid

accidents, or if it's working on your car, you always are learning new things."

White said that his second car he bought it as a street car, then he completely stripped it and cut it, then adding a cage in.

"We all did it as a team. Dennis welded it and John did a lot of work as well. He's the key to our team," said White.

Both White and Morin didn't really know how fast their cars go. They guessed anywhere between 60 and 80 miles per hour that is seen going around a quarter of a mile race track. Morin says that if he had to guess how fast he can go in one lap, he would say 16.4 seconds, while, White's reply was 16.8.

But none of the times or stats matter to them, how fast they go, where they finish, or how much cash or how many trophies they bring home. What matters to them is they are doing something they enjoy, as a team.

"People think we're crazy for doing it," said White. "But as long as I can do it financially, I plan on (racing) for a long, long time. It's just a lot of fun."

"We'd love it if we could have the three of us finish first, second and third just once. That's something we look forward to (hopefully doing) every Sunday. That would be the perfect day."

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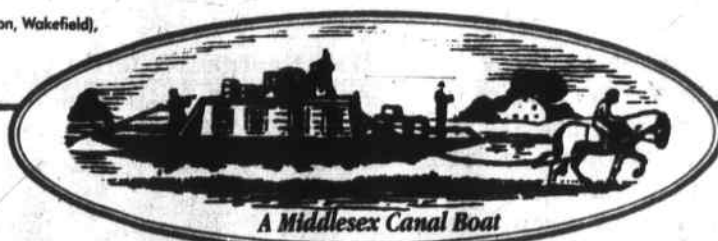
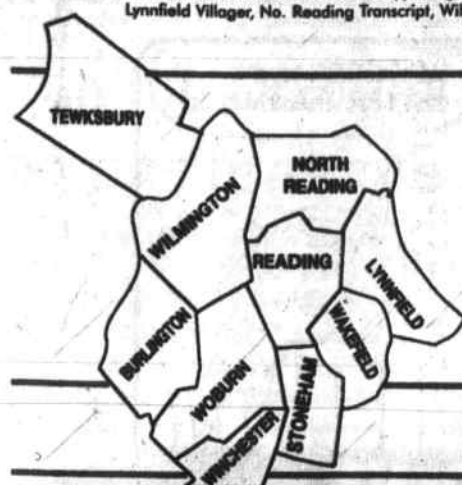
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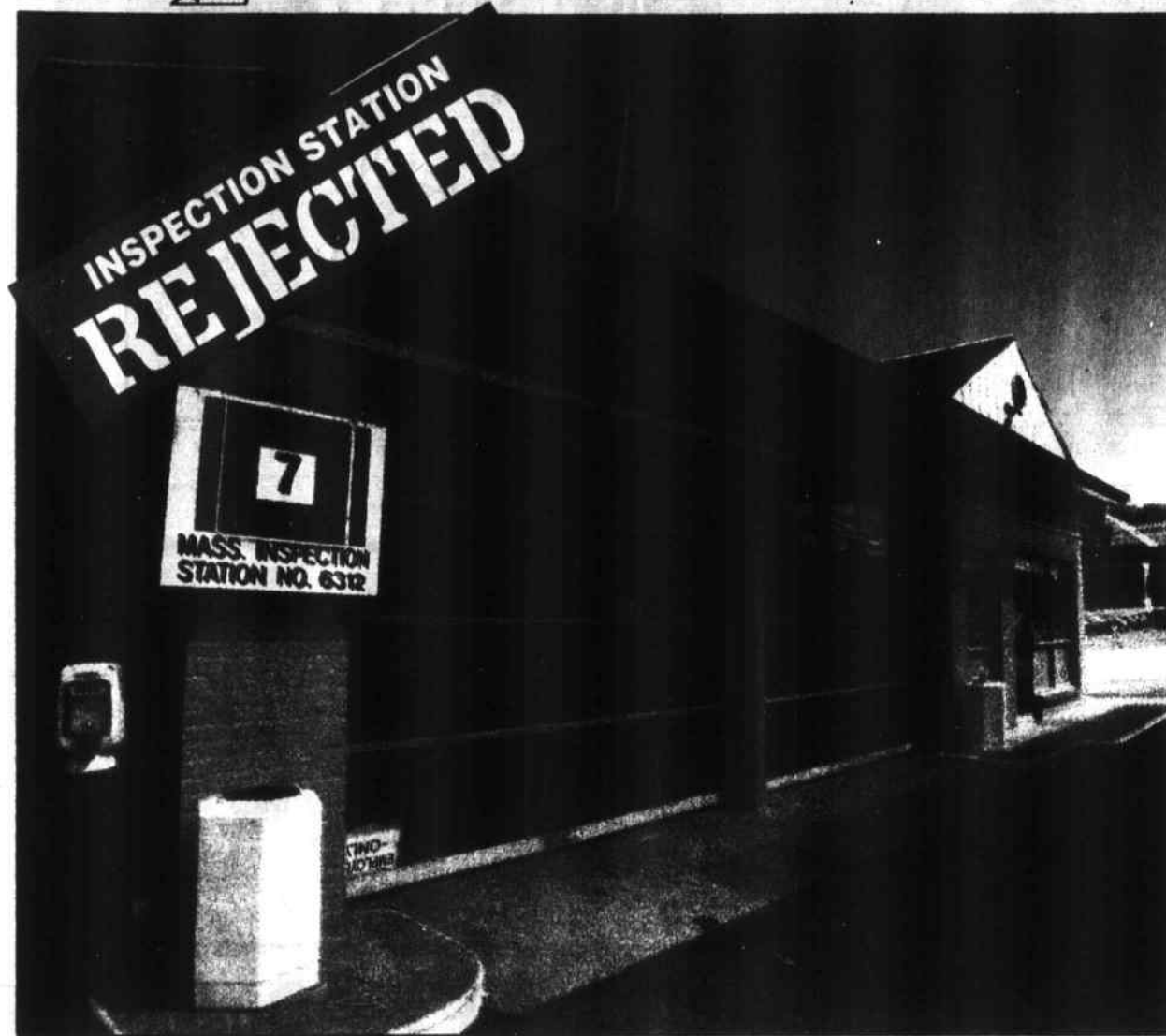
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**INSPECTION STICKER TIME** is fast drawing near and some local stations have been having a great deal of difficulty in implementing the new system because of varied reasons. Today's story above discusses some of these and there is also a list of stations by town who have already been certified for the new system.

## FACT: The lines will be long

By DOUG WOOD-BOYLE

**F**act: The new Massachusetts Enhanced Motor Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance (I/M) Program is going to go into effect on October 1, even though many stations will not yet have their equipment installed by then.

**Fact:** In a survey of Middlesex East communities, it seems only North Reading will have close to the same amount of inspection stations involved in the new program (see the complete list, except for Lynnfield, compiled by Keating Technologies).

**Fact:** The price of inspections will go up to \$29 per-vehicle, per-year; Many more vehicles are expected to flunk the new emissions test; the new test will take from 25 to 30 minutes to complete.

**Fact:** the lines will be long.  
**Bottom line:** It is legal to get an inspection sticker before the old one expires. Many station

owners, including those that will no longer be part of the I/M program are advising vehicle own-

ers of the contract signing date. Other stations that have the



ers to save time, money and aggravation by getting vehicles inspected during the month of September. The second part of the advice is to get the vehicle inspected early in the month as it is expected that supplies of the blue number 9 sticker will be running out early.

As one station owner commented, "We are not supposed to run out of stickers, but if an owner is no longer part of the program they cannot take away his license."

Many station owners agree with the reasons for the new program, even if they have not signed up to be part of it. Some are taking a wait and see attitude and may sign up later on.

This is expected by Keating Technologies Director of Corporate Communications

Chris Stock who reported there are 1,250 stations that have signed a contract with the company that owns the technology and will operate the program, as of Tuesday morning. That number is up by 70 from the 1,180 reported the previous Tuesday.

"We'll probably have about 1,500 within two months," Stock said.

He noted that although the stations are signed up, many of them will not have the equipment installed on time because

equipment may only be servicing private fleets.

However, Stock estimates that 90 percent of the stations signing contracts for the new machines will service the general public.

He also estimates that many more stations will start signing on as the year goes on.

This is the feeling of Tewksbury station owner Armand Langlois of A&B Automotive on Route 38. He has been doing inspections for 23 years and estimates he is presently doing about 300 cars per-month.

"I'm going to wait and see right now," Langlois said.

He explained that he may try to get into the program next year.

Langlois has a number of reasons why he does not want to be part of the program.

"It looks like it is going to be a lot of headaches," he said.

Even with the fee increase from the present \$15 per-sticker to \$29 Langlois does not feel as though he will make enough money from the program. He notes that if a car is rejected it must come back to the same station to be reinspected after the reason for the rejection is taken care of, but, the whole 15 minute inspection process must

## A list of some approved service stations

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HONDA BARN	260 MAIN ST
LEW'S MOBIL SERVICE	160 PARK ST
PARKER'S PITSTOP	34 MAIN ST
TOP WRENCH AUTO	45 MAIN ST
<b>READING</b>	
128 SALES FORD	88-98 WALKER'S BROOK DR
READING SQ TEXACO	749 MAIN ST
ROD'S EXXON	136 JOHN ST
WEST ST MOBIL	2 WEST ST
<b>STONEHAM</b>	
FRED'S AUTO REPAIR	492 MAIN ST
IRVING'S SERVICE CENTER INC	308 MAIN ST
STONEHAM MOTOR CO INC	185 MAIN ST
<b>TEWKSBURY</b>	
ATAMIAN VOLKSWAGEN	150 MAIN ST
COMPLETE CAR CARE	818 MAIN ST
ECONOMY CAR RENTAL INC	1615 SHAWSEEN ST
JIM BOUDREAU'S AUTO REPAIR	2184 MAIN ST

<b>WAKEFIELD</b>	
B&D SHELL	350 LOWELL ST
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SAWIN MOTORS	75 BROADWAY
WATER ST TEXACO	30 WATER ST
<b>WILMINGTON</b>	
CAR MART SUBARU	271 MAIN ST
J&E SERVICES CORP	619 R MAIN ST
NORTH WILMINGTON SHELL	361 MIDDLESEX AVE
WILMINGTON SHELL	779 WOBURN ST
<b>WINCHESTER</b>	
BOSS'S AUTOMOTIVE CENTER INC.	12 SWANTON ST
BONNELL MOTORS INC	353 SWANTON ST
O'KEEFE CITGO SERVIC	1012 MAIN ST
MAIN ST TEXACO	641 MAIN ST
<b>WOBURN</b>	
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BURKE'S GARAGE	71 MAIN ST
CAMBRIDGE RD AUTO SERVICE INC	293 CAMBRIDGE RD
CAPELO'S AUTO SERVICE INC	22 WINN ST
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ANTHONY MANCONI

"For all your ills, I give you LAUGHTER," Rabais. Kathy and I were shopping when Kathy saw a long time friend of hers who was obviously ready to give birth. "Oh Jane!" Kathy exclaimed, "Are you pregnant?" Jane smiled and replied "No, I'm carrying for a friend."

Father Vincent Gianni was making out a baptismal certificate and misplaced his desk calendar so, he turned and asked, "this is the twelfth, isn't it Diane?" "I beg your pardon Father, Kevin is only the ninth!"

I remember when Blackie Vega was a 95 pound weakling and girls used to kick sand in his face at the beach. He joined a body building course by mail. He received a bigger weight every week for three months, and he became a 185 weakling and the girls at the beach still kicked sand in his face. The body building course didn't do much for Blackie but boy oh boy

you ought to see the muscle on, Bob Flagg the mailman.

Does anyone know where a Nudist with a headcold keeps his handkerchief?

In the wild and woolly western frontier town cowboys were whooping it up in a saloon and shot a dog in the foot. The dog painfully limped home, put on a gunbelt and hobbled all the way back to the saloon. He went under the swinging doors and, standing in the middle of the floor BARKED OUT, "Aw-right! whose the dirty RAT who shot my PAW!"

When Henry Ford and his wife celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary he was asked, "what is the secret of your successful marriage?" Mr. Ford said, "the same one I used making a car "STICK TO ONE MODEL!"

My sister Maureen's son Kevin told her that he wanted to

become a priest. BUT, day after day Kevin was too tired to take out the garbage, mow the lawn or, take the dog for a walk etc. Maureen told him, "Kevin you can't be a priest if you're lazy. priests have to work very hard."

"I know that Ma," Kevin said, "That's why I'm resting NOW." A judge trying to settle a family dispute asked cousin Mario "tell me, what passed between you and your wife Angelina last night?" Mario said, "a flat iron, six plates and a coffee pot."

My Aunt Nora is a Big Fan of my Woodchips Column.

**PERSONALITY WINNERS,** Julie Doherty, Lauren Doherty, Janet Cummings, Kara E. Dattilo, Jillian Murphy, Kelly McHugh, John Mucci, Brian Newman, Shawn O'Keefe and Nicole C. Oser all of WOBURN.

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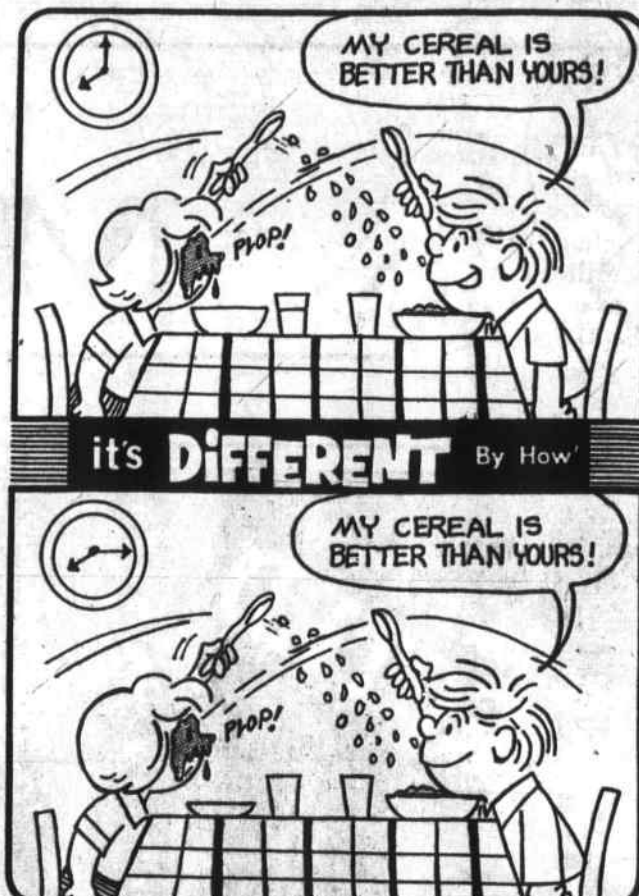
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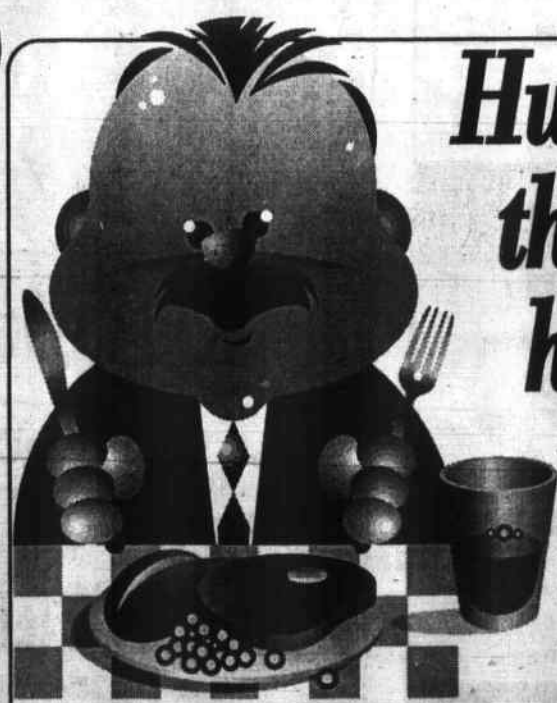
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## Yankee Doodle Cloggers to perform in Billerica

The Yankee Doodle Cloggers of North Reading will participate in the Billerica Yankee Doodle Homecoming Parade on Saturday, September 18. The cloggers will give a performance after the parade.

They will also perform at the Bolton Fair on Saturday, September 25, at both 10 am and 12 pm and again at the Topsfield Fair on Sunday, October 3, at both 3 pm and 6 pm.

Fall Beginner Classes start on Monday, September 13, from 7 pm to 8 pm at the Union Congregational Church, 148 Haverhill St., North Reading. The first class is free for all first time cloggers. All age groups are welcome and no partners are necessary.

The group is available for performances and demonstrations. For further information call Claire Gagnon 978-667-2752 or Barbara Groom 978-658-3870.

## Reunions Classmates are getting together

Middlesex East Publications will publish local "Reunion Notices" on a regular basis. Send information including School name, Date of Reunion, Reunion Location, and name and phone number of contact person to:

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**Woburn High School & St. Charles**  
Class of 1959 40th Reunion  
Confirmed Information:  
Time: Friday, November 26 from 6 to 11:30 pm  
Place: Ramada Inn, Woburn  
Hotel rooms have been blocked at special rates for class members. Current addresses

needed. Call Peter Carbone, Jr. at 781-935-5444. 9/1

**Woburn High School**  
Class of 1949 50th Reunion  
To be held at the Woburn Country Club on Friday, September 24. Tickets have been mailed to all classmates whose address is known. Committee needed current addresses of many. Call Mary Barbas 781-933-3207. 9/1

**Somerville High School**  
Class of 1974 25th Reunion  
To be held on Saturday, November 20 at the Montvale Plaza, Stoneham from 8 to midnight. Dinner and DJ. \$50 per person. Submit current address to SHS Class of 1974 Reunion, c/o Somerville Chamber of Commerce, 2 Alpine St., P.O. Box 343, Somerville 02144. Or fax 617-776-1157, or email to: smackey@somervillema.org 9/1

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## About The Towns by Phyllis Nissen

### A 'Sellers' market in Reading

"A dentist in private practice in Reading, Massachusetts, Dr. William Sellers was elected Alumni Trustee of Tufts in 1985 and became a Charter Trustee in 1990," notes "Tuftonia," the magazine of Tufts University.

"He has been a member of the Academic Affairs Committee for 13 years and has served as Chair since 1997. His interest in student-life issues led him to chair the Board of Overseers for Student Life from 1989 to 1994. In 1993, he also headed a committee created by the Board of Trustees to look into the faculty recommendations for changes in the fraternity system. His other Tufts affiliations include the Tufts Dental Alumni Association and the Jumbo Club.

"Dr. Sellers has been a member of the Board of Overseers to the Dental School since 1986 and has served as its chair since 1994. He has also been a part-time instructor at the Dental School for over ten years.

"A trustee and former president of the Massachusetts Dental Society, he is a delegate

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to the American Dental Association and a member of the American College of Dentists, the American Academy of Dental Science, the Academy of General Dentistry, and Omicron Kappa Upsilon, the dental honor society.

"He and his wife Dr. Usha Sellers, who has BA and MA degrees from Tufts, have four children: Lisa, a 1984 Tufts graduate, William, Allison and Scott."

### By the book in Stoneham

"Volume one of the Stoneham Community Resource Book compiled by Town Clerk John Hanright 'to enlighten citizens

of Stoneham as to how our municipal government works' is available around town for free," notes the "Stoneham Independent."

"People can pick up the book at Town Hall, the Stoneham Independent, the Public Library, the Chamber of Commerce and several local banks. Five thousand copies were printed.

"Taxpayers may like to know the book did not cost the town a cent. According to Hanright and Town Administrator Jeff Nutting, none of the \$5,000 appropriated at the May 1998 Town Meeting was spent.

"Advertising paid for the whole thing," Hanright said.

"Nutting says the town plans to publish an updated resource

book annually.

"Hawk Publishing of Danvers published the 1999-2000 edition for the town. Of the 28 advertisers whose fees paid the cost of publishing, all but three were Stoneham business. The other three were from the neighboring communities of Woburn and Wakefield.

"Selectmen Chairman Al Conti praised Hanright for his efforts.

"He put a lot of information people can use in one publication," Conti said.

"The book contains names, numbers, office hours, and locations for all town boards, departments and officials. Even information about private community groups like the Kiwanis Club and Chamber of Commerce is included. Also, information about public transportation in Stoneham and elected officials serving Stoneham all the way to the federal level is in the book...."

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# The lines will belong

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be redone at no cost to the vehicle's owner.

"I don't see where we will make more than we are now," Langlois said.

Another loss will come from the amount of room the new dynamometer and computer equipment for the inspection will take.

According to Langlois, he would lose a bay, where a lift could go, by putting in the equipment.

Jim Boudreau at Boudreau's Automotive on Route 38 in Tewksbury notes that he will have to build a shed onto the rear of his seven bay building, just for the inspection equipment. However, he will be one of the three stations still remaining in the program.

According to the informal survey, Tewksbury will be the hardest hit of the communities in the area. Where there were once six inspection stations there will only be three as of October 1.

Abdul Kafel, former owner of the Shell Station at Route 38 and Chandler Street, is discontinuing the program as he has gone out of business. Kafel was locking the door to his station on the day of the interview.

In Reading, Rick Rodman of Rod's Exxon on Walker Brook Drive, said, "I was one of the first to agree to do it."

Although he was number 318 on the list, he still does not have his equipment as yet. This is due in part to a delay by Exxon in signing the lease agreement for the equipment that has to be bolted into the station floors.

According to Rodman, "We

(the Commonwealth of Massachusetts) are getting federally funded money for the Clean Air Act. If the independent stations did not agree to the inspections the state would take it over."

He added, "Inspections are a big part of my business at 350 per-month."

According to Rodman, the week previous to his interview, "I got five or six real jobs (from inspections). The machine is a great tool for a repair business."

However, Brian, Chris and Mike Patalano, owners of the Sunoco Station on Main Street in Reading do not agree with their colleague on the money making aspects of the program.

It would be a high cost on our part," Brian Patalano said. "The way the whole system is being run is a joke."

Brother Mike said it might be worthwhile if they could remain at the same amount of monthly stickers, estimated to be about 300 or 400.

According to Brian, "When we reject cars we do it right."

Chris chimed in and said that vehicle owners might not like being told they cannot get an inspection sticker because of an unpaid parking ticket.

This brings up another question that the station owners have, "What happens when the Registry of Motor Vehicles computers go down?"

That event happens quite often every week and lasts anywhere from an hour on up.

Stock said the Registry computer is only indirectly involved with the program.

Keating has a "real time" computer tied into the Registry's from its Marlboro facility. However, all of the

inspection machines are tied into the Keating computer and there is a back-up in California if the Marlboro computer goes down.

New England Service Station and Auto Repair Association (NESSARA) President Roger Montbleau said, "They (Keating) are expecting zero downtime."

In the beginning NESSARA was a big opponent of the program. This opposition was based mostly on financial issues.

Because of the Associations intervention, monthly costs have been reduced and a buy-out program, to allow station owners a way to opt out of the program, has been instituted.

Montbleau noted that in the beginning only auto dealerships were signing onto the program.

"No matter what the deal was they needed it for their car sales," he explained.

Under the new program:

- Vehicles that have been purchased within the last two years and those purchased 15 or more years ago do not have to undergo the emissions testing;

- There will be first time testing of trucks and buses for pollutants;

- There will be the creation of a new database to speed transmission of vehicle information between stations and the state;

- There will be motorist and service station hotlines;

- There will be improved auditing and oversight by private contractors; and

- There will be a new training program for inspectors and repair technicians.

Richard Sawin, of Sawin Motors in Wakefield, is one of those that has joined the program, but is still waiting for his equipment to be installed.

"The test is going to be much more technically advanced than the one started in 1983," Sawin said.

He explained that under the program the car will be put on rollers and the emissions will be checked as the tires spin at various speeds. There will be tests for five different gases as opposed to only three at this time.

"The failure rate is expected to increase," Sawin said, "but, we are doing a more complete test so that is not a surprise."

Bottom line, if you have outstanding tickets or are not sure of your vehicles emissions get your sticker before October 1.

## Middlesex East Sports Athletes & Activities

BY PAUL FEELY

**The STONEHAM BAYSTATE 11-YEAR-OLD BOYS BASEBALL TEAM** completed an outstanding season by winning the gold trophy in the playoffs with a 11-0 win over Winchester at Symonds Field in Burlington. The team won 12 of its last 13 games, and went 6-0 to qualify for the trophy round, beating Easy Cambridge, two Winchester teams, Westford and Concord.

### SPORTS SHORTS

**•MIDDLESEX EAST SPORTS WEEKLY TRIVIA QUESTION:** Who was the first former Little League player to be elected to the Baseball Hall of Fame? Answer appears elsewhere in this column.

**•The STONEHAM GIRLS UNDER 10 DIVISION 3 TEAM** celebrated a strong season with a win in the semi-final game of the Commissioner's Cup Tournament in Wilmington. The squad went undefeated in the spring season, then took home the Division 3-A title before finishing second in Division 3 of the Middlesex League.

**•Need some clues to help out with the above-mentioned trivia question?** He was known around these parts as the Captain.

**•STONEHAM'S STEVE MAREK**, a former Stoneham High School hockey player, has opted to forego his freshman year in college and play a season for the Bridgewater Bandits, a Junior Hockey team.

**•THE ANNUAL AL DUFF JR. ROAD RACE FOR DARE** in Stoneham will take place on September 18. Race events include a 5K road race and a kids' run, and walkers are especially welcome. Prizes are given to the top three winners, both men and women, in open categories and also to the winners in the various age categories. Medallions will be awarded to all participants. Entry fees are \$15 and free t-shirts will be given to the first 150 registered runners. Registration may be done in advance at the Runner's Edge, 401 Main Street, Melrose, or at Stoneham Town Hall at 8:30 am on Race Day. The run will begin at 9 am. For more information call 438-0001.

**•The AAU Massachusetts Wildcats**, a 14-and-under boys basketball team coached by **READING'S DUANE SIGSBURY** and **WOBBURN'S DICK SKEFFINGTON**, recently made it to the equivalent of the NCAA's "Big Dance" by qualify-

(Man at the Wheel Statue) on Stacy Boulevard from about 9 am to 10:30 am as the schooners sail out of the harbor to the starting line off-Eastern Point.

The Festival is planned and organized by the Gloucester Schooner Festival Committee, composed of representatives of the Cape Ann Chamber of Commerce and the City of Gloucester. Support for the Schooner Festival is provided jointly by the Cape Ann Chamber of Commerce and Dunkin' Donuts. Further information can be obtained from the Chamber's Executive Director, Michael Costello, by calling 978-283-1601.

ing for the U-14 Nationals in Orlando, Florida.

Played at the Wide World of Sports complex, home of the Atlanta Braves' spring training grounds, the Wildcats went 2-1 in a preliminary round series. Their record qualified them for the Nationals, one of 64 teams in the country to make the elite tournament.

In the preliminaries, the Wildcats lost their opener to the Michigan Gold, 83-66. But they battled back to beat the Seattle Gold 68-63 and the St. Louis Fire 69-61, which secured them a second seeding in their pool and a berth into the 64 team tournament.

Starring for the Wildcats were Chris Skeffington of Woburn, Dwight Brewington, a 6-3 point guard from Lynn who will attend Wakefield High this year, John Murphy of North Reading and Joseph Marpeau of Cambridge.

In the national tourney, the Wildcats fell into the loser's bracket quickly with a narrow 70-69 defeat to the Fairfax Virginia Gold. But they rallied again, beating the North Carolina Nets Gold team 73-68 and the Utah Wolves Silver 77-64. They were finally eliminated by the Wichita Wizards Gold 62-55 to finish with an overall record of 4-3.

The Wildcats failed to crack the top 20 but represented Massachusetts and New England well, finishing higher than any other team from the region.

During the tournament, the team stayed at the Residence Inn Marriott and traveled to Disney World and Blizzard Beach, among other tourist attractions.

"It was a lot of fun, and we got the chance to play basketball against some of the best players in the country," said Sigsbury.

In the seven games, Skeffington scored 11, 12, 10, 19, 21, 13 and 15 points respectively. In his 21 point effort against the North Carolina Nets Skeffington sank three three-pointers.

Brewington, one of the area's top prospects, scored 19, 26, 27, 23, 19, 18, and 15 points respectively. Murphy scored 8, 8, 10, 9, 9, 10 and 8, and Marpeau poured in 16, 16, 16, 18, 16, 25 and 12.

**•ANSWER TO THIS WEEK'S TRIVIA QUESTION:** The first former Little League player to be elected to the Baseball Hall of Fame was 'Captain' Carl Yastrzemski. Congratulations to those that knew the answer, and look next week for another trivia question.

**•DO YOU KNOW SOMETHING WE DON'T?** If you have information about a local athlete that you would like to see appear in this column, please mail it to: Paul Feely, Middlesex East Sports, P.O. Box 240, Reading, Ma., 01867, or call Paul at 781-944-2200 between 7 am and 3:30 pm, Monday through Friday, or fax information at 781-942-0884.

## MDA seeks volunteers

The Muscular Dystrophy Association is currently seeking volunteers from greater Boston to help with one of America's best-known Labor Day traditions, the Jerry Lewis MDA Telethon, set to air Sept. 5-6 on 200 stations nationwide.

Between now and Labor Day, volunteers are needed in many areas, including helping with the local Telethon broadcast on WCVB-TV, Channel 5. "It's critical that we enlist the support of hundreds of volunteers in the Boston area and in most other cities across the country," said Jerry Lewis, MDA's number-one volunteer and national chairman. "For, without volunteer help, we simply won't be able to do everything that must be done to make this year's Telethon the best in the century for 'my kids.' Please get involved."

Volunteer activities include answering phones, coordinating food and drinks for Telethon workers, helping with pre-Telethon mailing, distributing

posters to local businesses, transporting supplies, greeting guests, escorting sponsors, tallying pledge slips, addressing envelopes, videotaping and logging the show, manning a clean-up committee, and much more.

For more information or to volunteer, call the local MDA office in Boston at 617-368-9155 or MDA national headquarters at 800-572-1717. Information about MDA programs and research advances is also available on MDA's Web site at [www.mdausa.org](http://www.mdausa.org).

## Schooner festival

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day trawlers share their home port with the traditional vessels of an earlier era.

The Fifteenth Annual Gloucester Schooner Festival will be conducted over Labor Day weekend on Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, September 3, 4, 5 and 6, 1999.

The major event of every Festival is the Mayor's Race, in which three classes of schooners race for honors. The Esperanto Cup, a historic trophy from the

first International Fisherman's Races held off Halifax, Nova Scotia in 1920 between the Canadian Schooner Delawanna and the U.S. Schooner Esperanto, which won this initial series, will be raced for by large fishermen-type schooners that are more than 80 feet in length on deck.

The weekend's racing will kick off on Saturday, September 4, with races for approximately 50 traditional smaller craft ranging from 19-to-45 feet on deck. These vessels will race in six separate classes that include Traditional, gaff-rigged; Traditional, Marconi-rigged; Friendship sloops; PHRF Fleet boats; Rhodes 19 one-design class; and the Multihull class.

Sailboat racing is not regarded as a great spectator sport; however, Sunday morning presents a unique opportunity for a closeup look at all the schooners in the Mayors Race. The Parade of Sail will proceed from Gloucester' Inner Harbor past the Fisherman's Monument

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# Calendar of Events

## A Listing of Interesting Events and Happenings

### ROSE SOCIETY FALL ROSE SHOW

Rosarians, rose growers, rose lovers the New England Rose Society will sponsor its annual Fall Rose Show on Sunday, September 12, at the UMass Experimental Station, 241 Beaver Street, Waltham.

Entries are from 7 to 9:45 am. Judging is from 10 to 1 pm. The rose show display is open to the public from 1 to 4 pm. All are welcome to enter and to attend.

New England Rose Society consulting rosarians will be available to help newcomers enter their roses and to answer any rose growing questions.

Admission and parking are free. Handicapped accessible. For information call 781-893-2868.

### DIVORCED/SEPARATED SUPPORT GROUP

A Divorced/Separated Support Group for men and women meets every Wednesday, 7:30 pm at the Lynnfield Community Church, 735 Salem Street, Lynnfield.

Donation is \$2. For more information, call David 781-944-0607.

### ART ASSOCIATION MEETING SEPT. 8

The Reading Art Association members demonstration on Watercolor, Acrylic and Oil Painting Demonstrations will be held on September 8, at 7:30 pm at the Guild Hall, Congregational Church (Middle Side Door) Sanborn Street, Reading.

Suggested donation to non-members is \$3.

### HATHA YOGA AT WINCHESTER

Winchester Hospital is proud to offer Hatha Yoga, a specifically designed program of integrated movement and deep, slow breathing to create increased flexibility, strength, and a clear mind.

Eight-week morning and evening sessions begin Tuesday, September 14 and run through Tuesday, November 2. Morning classes are held Tuesday mornings from 9:30 am to 10:45. Evening classes are held from 6 to 7:15 pm. Both sessions are held at Harvard Vanguard, 20 Wall Street in Burlington.

For price information and pre-registration, please call the Community Health Institute at 781-756-4700.

### BREASTFEEDING IS TOPIC OF LA LECHE

When you breastfeed your baby, you are providing him with the best possible infant food. Breast milk provides all the nutrients your newborn needs and is more easily digested and assimilated. As reassuring as this is, superior nutrition is only one of the many advantages you and your baby gain from breastfeeding.

These topics will be explored on Wednesday, September 8th at 10:15 am when La Leche League of Reading meets to discuss "The Advantages of Breastfeeding" at the Reading Public Library (upstairs meeting room), 64 Middlesex Avenue, Reading. Women from surrounding towns are welcome.

This meeting is the first in the current series of four monthly meetings open to nursing mothers and their babies, as well as pregnant and other interested women. The discussion is informal with breastfeeding, childbirth, and child care.

For directions, further information, or encouragement, please call one of the group leaders: Carmen 781-944-0377, Karen 978-657-8301, or Sharon 978-657-1012.

### SPECIAL ON NORTH SHORE PAINTERS

Mimi Braverman, Lecturer from the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, will present "North Shore Painters of the 19th and Early 20th Centuries" at the Wenham Museum on Thursday, September 23, at 7:30 pm.

Art Research Associates of Wenham will sponsor this celebration of North Shore art and the artists who have been inspired by the beauty of the area. Reservations are required. Call 978-468-2377. Admission is \$5; free to Museum Members.

The Wenham Museum is located at 132 Main Street, Wenham, MA.

### AN OLD ART IN NEW HANDS

An exhibition of recent work by six quiltmakers from the Boston area will be on view at the Towne Art Gallery, Wheelock College. Charity Casana, Nancy Crasco, Sarah Gindel, Judith Larzerlere, Linda Perry and Ann Schroeder will contribute pieces.

A reception will be held to honor the artists on Friday, September 17, 4:30 to 6 pm.

The gallery is in the lower lobby of the Wheelock Family Theatre, 180 The Riverway, Boston and is free and open to the public. Hours: noon to 4 pm, Monday thru Friday. Parking is limited; public transportation suggested. Green Line D Train to Longwood or Fenway.

For more information please contact Marjorie Hall at 617-879-2130 or mhall@wheelock.edu

### ROUNDTABLE ON CIVIL WAR MEETS

The Civil War Roundtable of the Merrimack will meet Monday September 13th at 7:30 pm at the Belleville Congregational Church, 300 High Street, Newburyport.

"Battle of Fredericksburg, VA" will be the featured topic. Anyone with an interest in America's Civil War is invited to attend. For more information call Tom at 978-462-8518.

### ANNUAL ANIMAL PHOTO CONTEST

The Animal Rescue League of Boston invites all pet owners and animal lovers to enter the League's 1999 Animal Photography Contest.

All amateur photographers are encouraged to enter (no professionals, please). A panel of judges will choose the winners, which will then be announced at the League's annual fall fair. Petoerfest is scheduled on October 16, at the Pine Ridge Animal Center in Dedham.

The fair will include children's rides and activities, Pet Photos with Santa, a bake sale, food, music, animals in the paddocks, craft tables, a Sports Celebrity Memorabilia Auction, a Blessing of the Animals and display of photo contest entries.

Separate prizes will be awarded for juniors (under 18) and adults. Awards will be in the form of gift certificates for photographic equipment and supplies in the amounts of \$150, \$100 and \$75. All photos entered will be displayed during Petoerfest and the winning photos will appear in the winter issue of Our Fourfooted Friends, the League's quarterly magazine.

Photos submitted may be black and white or color. Entries can be photos of animals alone or with people and/or props. The photos must be unretouched and should be enlarged to approximately 5"x7" or 8"x10".

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All photos submitted become the property of the Animal Rescue League of Boston.

Mail entries by October 1 to: Animal Rescue League of Boston, Community Outreach Office, 55 Anna's Place, Dedham, MA 02026, Attn: Animal Photo Contest.

For more information, please contact the Animal Rescue League of Boston Community Outreach Office at 781-461-8015.

### ROLLICKING SEA CHANTEYS BENEFIT

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Daisy Nell and Capt. Stan, favorite "crab-grass" duo of Essex, will join The Rum-Soaked Crooks, chanteymen of New Bedford, in rich harmonies in celebration of Gloucester's Fifteenth Annual Schooner Festival weekend.

The event is a benefit for the Schooner Adventure, Gloucester's host vessel for the festival and a National Historic Landmark. Coffee, cookies and chowder will be served. Admission is \$12 for Adventure

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members; \$15 for non-members. Limited seating; advance reservations recommended: call 978-281-8079.

### HALLMARK OFFERS MENOPAUSE PROGRAM

"Personal Vision, Powerful Voices", a menopause education program sponsored by Hallmark Health, will take place Thursday, September 30, 5 to 9 pm at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Woburn.

Designed to explain the stages, symptoms and treatments on menopause, this multimedia presentation includes information on peri-menopause, hormone replacement options,

exercise, diet and vitamins. Menopause-related illness such as osteoporosis, heart and breast disease will also be addressed.

Pre-registration is required; call Hallmark Health at 781-979-3605. The program fee is \$20 and includes a light supper buffet.

The Menopause Program will be preceded by a free Women's Health Fair, in the hotel lobby from 4:30 to 6 pm. Featured will be free bone density screenings and a women's health book fair.

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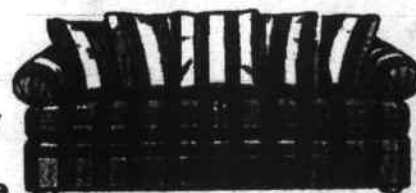
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## Free screening for osteoporosis

Riverside Healthcare Associates, an affiliate of Winchester Hospital, will hold a free osteoporosis screening from 8:30 am to 2 pm on Thursday, September 23 at 75 Riverside Avenue in Medford.

Women over the age of 50, as well as women with any risk factors for osteoporosis are encouraged to attend. Space is limited and an appointment is required. Please call 781-396-6221 to schedule an appointment.

# Health & Medicine

## Innovative menopause education program

An innovative national program designed to provide women with a balanced and easy to understand explanation

of the stages, symptoms and treatments of menopause will be offered by Hallmark Health on Thursday, September 30 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Woburn from 6-9 pm.

Titled "Personal Vision, Powerful Voices", the multimedia presentation will be led by Katherine Klein, M.D., assistant professor of medicine, University of Wisconsin Medical School, and Sue McKenzie, education director, Health Education Center of Wisconsin.

Both women have spent years studying this state in a woman's life and have developed a vast repository of current information that includes data from studies conducted around the nation, as well as results of their own qualitative and quantitative research.

The presentation will include information on peri-menopause, hormone replacement options, exercise, diet and vitamins. In addition, it will address menopause-related illnesses such as osteoporosis, and heart and breast disease.

Pre-registration for the program is required and space is limited. The program fee is \$20 and includes a light supper buffet. To register, call Hallmark Health at 781-979-3605.

More information on Hallmark Health can be found on the World Wide Web at [www.hallmarkhealth.org](http://www.hallmarkhealth.org).

## Food safety for hiking and camping

Outdoor activities are popular with Americans nationwide. The fresh air and exercise revives the spirit and the mind. Hiking, camping, and boating are good activities for active people and families and in some parts of the country you can enjoy the outdoors for 2 or 3 seasons. In many cases, these activities last all day and involve preparing at least one meal. If the food is not handled correctly, foodborne illness can be an unwelcome souvenir.

### "Keep hot foods hot and cold foods cold."

Whether you are in your kitchen or enjoying the great outdoors, there are some food safety principles that remain constant. The first is "Keep hot foods hot and cold foods cold." Meat and poultry products may contain bacteria that cause foodborne illness. They must be cooked to destroy these bacteria and held at temperatures that are either too hot or too cold for these bacteria to grow.

Most bacteria do not grow rapidly at temperatures below 40°F or above 140°F. The temperature range in between is known as the "Danger Zone." Bacteria multiply rapidly at these temperatures and can reach dangerous levels within 2 hours.

If you are traveling with cold foods, bring a cooler with a cold source. If you are cooking, use a hot campfire or portable stove. It is difficult to keep foods hot without a heat source when traveling, so it's best to cook foods before leaving home, cool them, and transport them cold.

### "Keep everything clean."

The second principle is that

bacteria present on raw meat and poultry products can be easily spread to other foods by juices dripping from packages, hands, or utensils. This is called cross-contamination. When transporting raw meat or poultry, double wrap or place the packages in plastic bags to prevent juices from the raw product from dripping on other foods.

Always wash your hands before and after handling food, and don't use the same platter and utensils for raw and cooked meat and poultry. Soap and water are essential to cleanliness, so if you are going somewhere that will not have running water, bring it with you. Even disposal wipes will do.

### What Foods to Bring?

If you are backpacking for more than a day, the food situation gets a little more complicated. You can still bring cold foods for the first day, but you'll have to pack shelf-stable items for the next day. Canned goods are safe, but heavy, so plan your menu carefully. Advances in food technology have produced relatively lightweight staples that don't need refrigeration or careful packaging. For example:

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Powdered mixes for biscuits or pancakes are easy to carry and prepare, as is dried pasta. There are plenty of powdered sauce mixes that can be used over pasta, but check the required ingredient list. Carry items like dried pasta, rice, and baking mixes in plastic bags and take only the amount you'll need.

### Cleanup

Whether taking a hike or camping at an established site, if you will be washing, dishes or cookware, there are some rules to follow. Camping supply stores sell biodegradable camping soap in liquid and solid forms. But use it sparingly, and keep it all out of rivers, lakes, streams and springs, as it will pollute. If you use soap to clean your pots, wash the pots at the campsite, not at the water's edge. Dump dirty water on dry ground, well away from fresh water. Some wilderness campers use baking soda to wash their utensils. Pack disposable wipes for hands and quick cleanups.



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American Dance Awards (ADA) is one of the most prestigious national dance competitions. It is a high caliber dance event featuring some of the country's most talented dance students. Unlike the more local competitions that may feature other talent acts and modeling, ADA is a challenging performing arts competition that allows dance to remain an art form even in a competition format. Students are adjudicated on their own merit and receive a medal standing anywhere from ultimate gold, gold, high silver, silver, high bronze, bronze and honorable mention. Though many shy away from such an intimidating event, The Dance Studio of Wakefield enjoys the challenge as well as appreciating the talent from the many

other areas of the nation says Directors Diane Abraham and Susan Edson.

The 101 dance company members, ranging in age from six years through 18, competed in Boston on June 30 through July 6 at the John Hancock Hall. Dance Studios and performing art schools from around the country and Canada were all in attendance and competed in three separate venues for the seven day event. The DSW students boasted one Ultimate Gold, 11 Gold medals, 21 High Silvers and 13 Silver medals as well as nine special awards recognizing individual qualities. The most exciting event was the last day of competition, the senior tap routine Brooklyn Bounce an ultimate gold medal winner, was announced as a dance off finalist! Being chosen

as a finalist from over 1,000 routines in such a highly talented competition was the thrill of a lifetime and for many of the girls who will be ending their dance careers and entering college, it was a great finale.

Students of The Dance Studio of Wakefield have performed and competed around the country, winning many gold and first place awards. Former students have gone on to college and have achieved success in the dance and entertainment fields.

The Dance Companies have performed for crowds locally as well as in Disney World's Magic Kingdom in Orlando. Though many of the students have chosen to become serious dancers, the school is proud to encourage children of all ages and abilities to enjoy the art of dance. "We are proud of being just your typical neighborhood school," says Edson and Abraham. "Our teachers enjoy the enthusiasm each child brings to class."

The Dance Studio of Wakefield, located downtown at 456 Main Street, offers quality instruction in ballet, jazz, tap, lyric and pointe. The facility has three large studios, quality sound systems, an ample waiting area, air conditioning and a professional and efficient staff.

Classes are offered during the day as well as evenings for

both the beginner and advanced student. Students are accepted into a dance program as early as three years of age. Aerobics is offered for adults in the morning and evening featuring the popular fitness program Cardio-Kickboxing. Babysitting is available in the morning hours. Kid's birthday parties are also available.

Registration for fall classes is now ongoing. For more information, please call 245-9409.

## Local students on Dean's List at Columbia

Columbia University has announced the spring 1999 honorees for Deans List at its two undergraduate schools, Columbia College and the Fu Foundation School of Engineering and Applied Science. This high academic honor is reserved to those who have a 3.3 index or higher.

Columbia University, now in its 245th year, offers more than 6000 courses and comprises 15 schools and more than 100 research institutes. Together, the College and the Engineering School offer almost 200 academic majors. Four Nobel Prize winners and seven recipients of the National Medal of Sciences are among the current faculty.

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by Phyllis Nissen

### Back to business as school begins

#### Forever young from North Reading

"When Roger Young walked through the door of North Reading High School 34 years ago as a gangly high school senior, he could not have known he was taking the first step on a journey that would define his professional life until the end of the century," notes the "North Reading Transcript."

"But that's the way things worked out, because after graduating from college and working a couple of years in other towns, Young came back to North Reading in 1972, first as a teacher, then as a department head and finally as Business Manager."

"It's an association he's never regretted, but he left to become business manager for the Haverhill public schools.... Young first glimpsed the courtyard of N.R.H.S. in July of 1965 when his family moved from Dallas to North Reading."

"After we settled in, the first people I met were (former principal) Arthur Kenney, football coach Walter Miller and Bill

Tryder, who was another student," Young recalls.

"I had a great year because I got to play football for Miller and basketball for Vin Olivo. I ran track for John Mannheim and Dave Cleary (who retired from the high school recently), was the assistant coach. I had Ray Whipple for math and Frank Carey for Phys Ed."

"Young, who graduated with the Class of 1966, has many fond memories of his year at the high school."

"He particularly recalls Arthur Kenney as everything a high school principal should be...."

#### 'Process and Product' in Lynnfield

"In 'Everyday Mathematics,' both the answer and how you get it are important," notes the Lynnfield "Summer Street School Newsletter."

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"In 'Everyday Mathematics,' as in mathematics itself, not all solution methods are valued equally; for example, a method that is quick, easy, and wrong is not much good. 'Everyday Mathematics' is designed to lead students from immature and limited approaches to powerful and general methods."

#### Ready to take the fifth in Wilmington

"Last year's fourth graders in Miss Gamble's Social Studies classes at the school completed

a map project on the New England region," notes the "Wilmington Town Crier."

"The students constructed relief maps of the six New England states, using a simple recipe for clay made out of salt, flour and water. The finished maps indicated the locations of each state and its capital, the Green Mountains, White Mountains, Berkshire Hills, Connecticut River, Cape Cod, Martha's Vineyard, Nantucket, Plymouth and the Atlantic Ocean. Students invested a good deal of time and effort in their projects. The experience of planning and completing the project on their own gave them a sense of pride and accomplishment."

"At the Annual DeRosas Art Gallery evening exhibit of Woburn Street School children's art work, last year's fifth graders worked in the school museum as guides, docents, security guards and 'Artists in residence.' There was an interactive art activity where children created 'Dutch' tiles. The International CaFT opened for snacks and beverages, staffed by the fifth graders...."

Happy New School Year!

If you'd like to read about your favorite school, student or teacher in "School Notes," please send school newsletters and other relevant information to Phyllis Nissen, "School Notes," Middlesex East Supplement, Box 240, Reading, MA 01867. We welcome student writing.

### Are you connected?

Today's busy parents face a multitude of daily challenges as they juggle the demands of work and raising school age children. From academic concerns to physical, mental and social development issues, parents are seeking timely, easy-to-obtain information regarding their children.

In response to this nationwide issue, the Family Education Network, an interactive website which provides over 8,000 on-line pages of parental information and resources at no charge to users, has launched over 16,400 local websites. The sites are available in every school system in the country and provide parents and educators with an interactive forum for information and exchange.

Does your child like today's listed school lunch or should you pack a sandwich? When is the next soccer game? PTA meeting

schedules didn't make it home in your kid's knapsack? A simple click of the computer mouse gives parents access to this information and more any time during the day or night.

The interactive sites allow parents to jot notes to educators; it reports on local, state and national educational issues and even enables parents to voice their opinions to elected officials via e-mail.

For those who don't have access to on-line services at work or home, there are still many avenues to participate:

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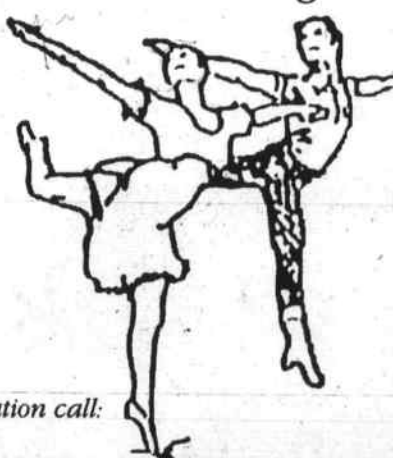
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For children, the start of school is a time of both anticipa-

tion and anxiety. The pressures of new teachers, friends and classes as well as changes in daily routine can cause stress, a common trigger of tension-type headaches.

More than 45 million Americans suffer from chronic, recurring headaches, more than the 33 million sufferers of dia-

betes, asthma and coronary heart disease combined, and 20 percent of these migraine and tension-type sufferers report that their headaches began before age 10. Unfortunately, young children are oftentimes unable to effectively communicate their symptoms, thus making it very difficult for parents to recognize that a recurring problem might exist.

The National Headache Foundation (NHF) offers warning signs to help parents recognize children's headaches and tips for what can be done to alleviate the pain. Signs your child may be suffering from headaches or migraine include:

- Shows signs of car or motion sickness
- Wakes up because of headache
- Headache severity increases or headaches occur more frequently
- Changes in temperament or personality
- Nausea, vomiting or stomach pain
- Headache goes away with rest
- Pain increases with physical activity
- Other family members experience migraine

If your child experiences one or more of these symptoms, the NHF recommends that you schedule an appointment with

the child's doctor to specifically discuss the headache problem. Your best ally in helping your child cope with headache is a doctor who knows your family and is willing to spend sufficient time to diagnose and treat the problem.

For more information on headache causes and treatment, visit the web site at [www.headaches.org](http://www.headaches.org). To obtain a free copy of NHF Head Lines, the award-winning bi-monthly newsletter, and Tap The Best Resource, an informative brochure, call 1-888-NHF-5552 (M-F, 8 am to 6 pm, CT).

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According to the poll, conducted by Louis Harris & Associates, almost 90 percent of parents see college education as an "investment," and 82 percent of those who do save also man-

age to put something away for retirement, vacations, etc. One way parents accomplish this is through the purchase of mutual funds, which provide capital growth and can be tailored to individual financial needs.

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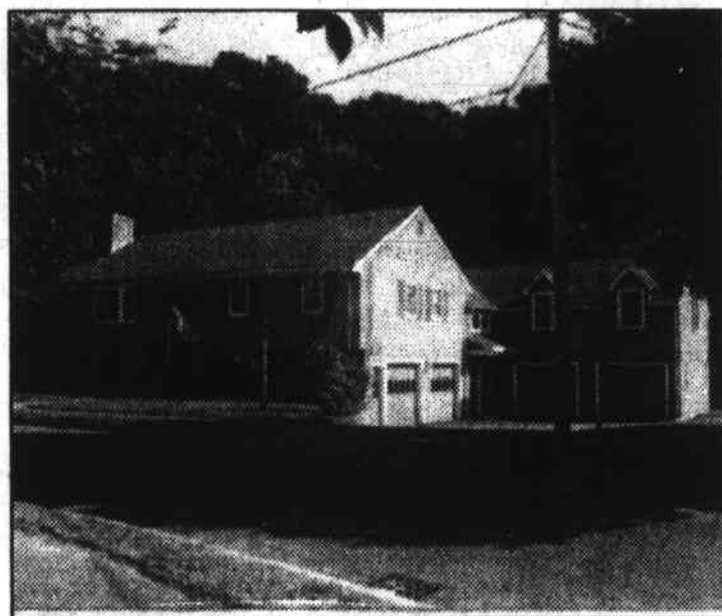


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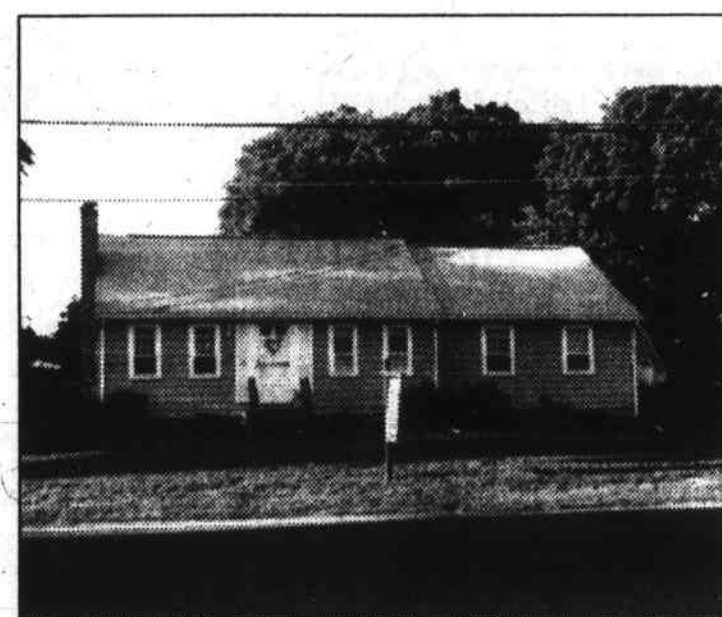
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Like two homes in one!  
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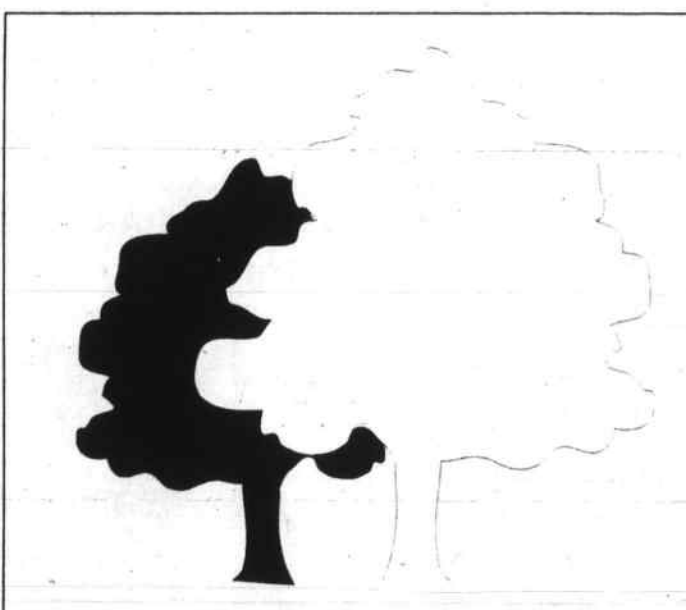
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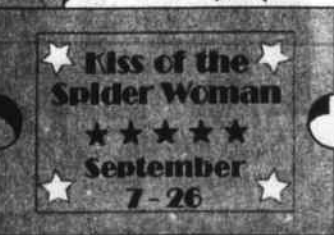
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"What does that mean?" Some  
commonly used building terms and  
definitions follow for your information:

**WARP.** Any distortion of boards:  
crooking, bowing, cupping or  
twisting. Proper curing (drying) of  
wood can usually prevent or  
minimize this.  
**WEEP HOLE.** A small hole built into  
a wall, usually a masonry wall, to  
drain water from one side to the  
other.  
**WINDER.** A wedge-shaped step  
that turns a corner. Usually illegal  
except in spiral staircases  
**YARD.** A quantity of concrete, and  
sometimes sand and gravel, a cubic  
yard, 27 cubic feet.



## Insist on "pro" roofing contractor

A new roof system is a big investment - perhaps one of the largest a building or home owner ever will make. The most important component in getting the most for an owner's roofing dollar is selecting a professional roofing contractor. All prospective roofing contractors should be evaluated thoroughly before a contract is signed or work performed.

To help owners select reliable roofing contractors, the National Roofing Contractors Association (NRCA) has developed the following checklist. A professional roofing contractor should have:

A permanent place of business. A contractor should be well-established - with a permanent address, telephone and tax identification numbers, and, where required, license. A contractor willingly should tell an owner how many years his company has been in business under the company's existing name and address, as well as provide his license or registration number(s) where applicable.

- Knowledge of various roof systems. A professional contractor will be able to help an owner choose the right roof system for his building and budget, using quality materials produced by reputable manufacturers. A customer should feel comfortable with the roof system a contractor recommends.

- Proof of insurance and an effective safety program. An owner should ask for proof of the insurance a contractor carries and make sure it includes workers' compensation and general liability coverage. A professional contractor will submit copies of his certificates of insurance when asked and have a comprehensive worker safety program in place.

- Continuing industry education. Professional roofing contractors attend seminars, conferences and trade shows offered by industry associations and organizations. They also employ trained workers who understand the importance of quality.

- Financial stability. An owner should choose a firm that is financially stable. An owner should ask for a copy of a roofing company's financial statements and get the name of the auditing firm that prepared the statements.

- A written proposal. A professional roofing contractor should provide a written proposal outlining a projects details. An owner should read it carefully, making sure it's complete and fair.

- A license and/or be bonded.

Many states require that roofing contractors be licensed; many contractors are bonded by survey companies. An owner should ask for a contractor's license number and evidence of bonding ability, along with the name and address of the bonding agent.

- Warranties. A contractor should provide a warranty for workmanship and explain the manufacturers' materials warranties to protect the owner's investment.

- References. An owner should ask for the names and telephone numbers of a roofing contractor's recent clients and inquire about other work in progress. Then, an owner should

find out if the clients are completely satisfied with the company's performance.

• A maintenance program. After work is completed, a professional roofing contractor will follow up with periodic inspections to ensure that potential trouble spots are fixed. Many

contractors offer maintenance contracts to ensure long-term roof system performance.

Researching roofing companies might not be fool proof for hiring a professional contractor, but it can help building and home owners get the most for their money.

### - READING -

Median Price: \$232,000

4 CARNATION CIR U:D purchased by Charles and Jacqueline Cavanaugh from Wendell and Helena Hodgkins for \$285,100.

13A CARNATION CIR U:13 purchased by Leonard Keck from Janice Hourihan for \$277,900.

14 COLBURN RD. purchased by John and Sharon Dewicz from Richard and Sheila Mulroy for \$225,000.

107 EASTWAY purchased by Richard and Sheila Mulroy from Leonard and Anna Pienta for \$393,000.

614 GAZERO CIR U:614W purchased by Susan Vander-velde from Mary Brigida for \$189,000.

713 GAZERO CIR U:713 purchased by Jennifer Smith from William and Ruth Kadiec for \$225,000.

41 HEATHER DR. purchased by Constance Leccese from Lauretta Raffi for \$321,000.

58 LOTHROP RD. purchased by Raymond and Lenora Rose from Michael and Kathleen Allenbrook for \$250,000.

243 MAIN ST. U:120DW purchased by Jacquelyn Conti from Ronald Delucia for \$80,000.

46 RICHARDS RD. purchased by John and Patrice Lund from Burton Page, Ex for Page Phyllis Est for \$234,900.

605 SUMMER AVE. U:134 purchased by Paul Matulewicz from Walter and Gloria Merrihew for \$119,000.

171 WOBURN ST. purchased by Judith Brink from Margaret Lawless for \$205,000.

### - STONEHAM -

Median Price: \$189,900

24 ALDEN AVE. purchased by William and Lucy Bastianelli from Rita and Edward Masi for \$345,000.

131 FRANKLIN ST. U:101 purchased by Sherman and Mary Dean from Joanne Mueller for \$124,500.

133 FRANKLIN ST. U: 201 purchased by Eleanor Ellard from Joel Carvalho for \$142,900.

32 KEENE ST. purchased by Brian and Maureen Daly from Joyce Connolly, Ex for Decker Phyllis Est for \$220,000.

66 MAIN ST. U:49 purchased by Margaret Connors from Patricia Breault for \$136,000.

### - TEWKSBURY -

Median Price: \$172,500

6 COBLEIGH DR. purchased by Edward and Mary Paneuf from Thomas and Mary Obrien for \$225,000.

61 DECAROLIS DR. U:61 purchased by John and Anita Purcel from Michael Gunther, Adm for Gunther Bernd Est for \$130,000.

560 ROGERS ST. purchased by Naomi and Patrick Power from Theresa Bellis for \$243,000.

### - WAKEFIELD -

Median Price: \$229,900

3 ARTHUR RD. purchased by Bryan and Kristine Regan from Marion Cerretani for \$336,000.

### - WILMINGTON -

Median Price: \$219,000

55 ADAMS ST. purchased by John Richard from Frank Orlando, Tr for Perkins Dev T. for \$75,000.

8 MORSE AVE. purchased by Alfonso Perez from CS Newhouse Bldrs Inc for \$239,000.

21 SHERWOOD RD. purchased by Ronald and Diane Silva from Albert and Donna Silva for \$224,900.

### - WOBURN -

Median Price: \$192,000

2-3 ALBERT DR. U:3 purchased by Edna Regan from Daniel Fabbri, Tr for 2-3 Albert Dr. RT for \$105,000.

9 BEACON ST. purchased by Godfrey and Andrea Newton from Norberto Santiago, Tr for Santiago NT for \$145,000.

16B BUTTARO RD. purchased by Scott Seaver from Laurel Buttano, Tr for New Home RT for \$161,500.

10 CASSIDY DR. purchased by Minas and Lucy Bonjukian from Ronald and Maureen Tocio for \$285,000.

5 CENTRAL ST. purchased by Steven and Debra Crocker from James Crocker, Ex for Crocker James Est for \$60,000.

27 COLUMBUS RD. purchased by Richard and Patricia Ghiozzi from Daniel and Diane Kirkwood for \$235,000.

1098 MAIN ST. purchased by Fred and Lisa Mendelson from Joanne Leach for \$225,000.

13 MAWN DR. purchased by Ronald Donohoe, Tr for Wellbuilt RT from Louise McDonough, Tr for Mawn FT for \$150,000.

80 N WARREN ST. U:30 purchased by Jenny Wong from Javier Naranjo for \$75,800.

8 OLD FARM RD. purchased by Tou Chung and Shu-ching Hou from Anthony Santullo, Tr for Jenco RT for \$419,900.

35 PROSPECT ST. U:307 purchased by Mark Mizell from Gail Gately for \$55,000.

290 SALEM ST. purchased by Julian Dami from William Bastianelli for \$325,000.

305 SALEM ST. U:404 purchased by Eleanor Sullo from Donald Macneil for \$160,000.

4 WINDSOR DR. purchased by Guy Agri, Tr for Talambekos RT from Hillcrest Constru Corp for \$460,000.

## Realtors offer discount registration for Trade Show

The Massachusetts Association of Realtors (MAR) has announced special registration fees for Realtors and non-member licensees who attend the upcoming 1999 MAR Convention and Trade Show to be held from October 5-7, at the Hynes Convention Center, Boston.

Over 30 educational sessions will be offered during the 75th Annual MAR Convention, several presented by nationally known real estate trainers, Ginny Denton-Barrett, Tom Lundstedt, Matthew Ferrara and Ed Hatch. The program is jam

Realtors to S-13

1014 MAIN ST. purchased by Jeffrey and Cynthia Graff from Wendy Robinson and Wendy Wilder for \$253,000.

11 OLDE TOWNE RD. purchased by Martha Dwyer from Robert and Arlene Ligenfritz for \$347,700.

23 PARSONS AVE. purchased by Frederick and Marsha White from James and Karyl Misserville for \$194,000.

### - NORTH READING -

Median Price: \$235,000

10 GORDON RD. purchased by Kevin Murray and Kristine Grant from Jennie Long for \$157,000.

34 KINGS ROW purchased by Richard and Marion Valeri from Daniel and Anna Cole for \$449,900.

36 MAIN ST. U:36 purchased Kristie Phillips from Anthony and Helena Sciliano for \$67,000.

58 MARBLEHEAD ST. purchased by Alison and Gerardo Spagnuolo from Leonard and Janice Hassett for \$224,000.

24 NUTTER RD. purchased by Daniel and Kathleen Lally from Richard and Marlon Valeri for \$250,000.

2 RAHNEN TER. purchased by William and Elizabeth Kelly from John McLaughlin for \$138,600.

12 SHADY HILL DR. purchased by Christopher Bertolino from Omar and Ann Chebbo for \$299,900.

12 TOWER HILL RD. purchased by Jeffrey and Jeanne Morgan from David and Ellen Price for \$318,500.

## ~ Real Estate Transfers ~

Filing Date at Registry of Deeds:  
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### - BURLINGTON -

Median Price: \$242,000

10 GEORGIANNA RD. U:174 purchased by Oliver and Rosalie Schniederjans from Beacon Woods LLC for \$299,900.

9 HICKORY LN. purchased by Claire Roberto from Ralph and Betty Bruce for \$200,000.

3 SEARS ST. purchased by Gulam and Mumtaz Khalifa from Kyle and Jenna Key for \$220,000.

2 VALLEY CIR purchased by Lewis Cote and Dawn Haynes from James and Cynthia Ouellette for \$280,000.

40 WINN ST. purchased by Shirley and Paul Ellis from Joseph Murray Sr, Tr for Beth Ann RT for \$282,500.

### - LYNNFIELD -

Median Price: \$285,000

12 BISHOPS LN. purchased by Eric and Ann Marie Tangard from Robert Ciccirelli, Tr for Ciccirelli RT for \$300,000.

745 LOWELL ST. L:MULTI purchased by Vincent Diblase, Tr for Greenacres RT from Diblase Corp for \$200,000.

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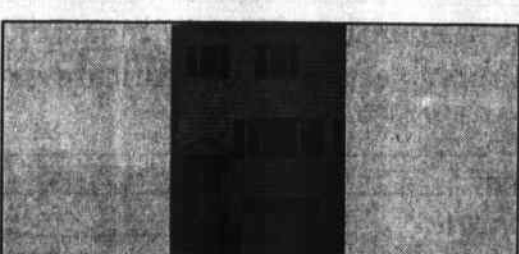
LITCHFIELD - "Saw Mill" 3 bdrm/2 bath colonial in great neighborhood. Features LR, DR, Office, beautifully redone basement - family room & possible 4th bdrm. \$164,900



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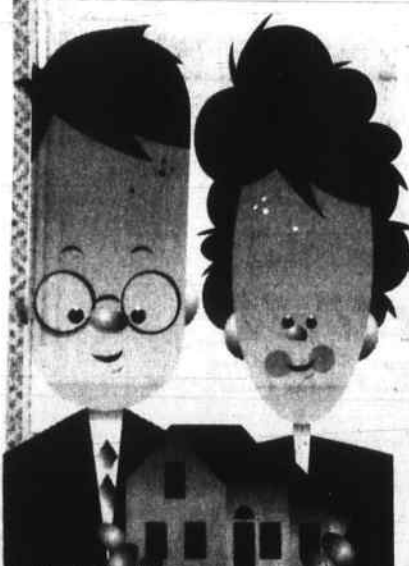
Wednesday, Oct. 13  
Wednesday, Oct. 20  
Wednesday, Oct. 27  
Wednesday, Nov. 3

All classes will be held at the Lord Wakefield/Best Western Hotel, North Avenue, Wakefield, (exit 39 off Route 128). All classes will begin at 6:00 p.m. sharp and end at 9:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served at the beginning of the class. Please call Board Headquarters to make your reservation and payment. (781) 944-6006

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## Realtor Names in the News

### Tricia Gass joins West Real Estate

WILMINGTON - Frank and Karen West of West Real Estate would like to extend a warm welcome to Tricia Gass as part of their outstanding team of real estate professionals.

Tricia was previously associated with Agatha Marple Real Estate in Cambridge. She is a member of the Eastern Middlesex Association of Realtors, Massachusetts Association of Realtors, and the National Association of Realtors.

"Tricia brings with her the honesty and enthusiasm needed to succeed in today's market. West Real Estate has set some pretty high standards and we know it," states Frank West. "To make the grade in our office, means to put the client/customer before yourself and that can be pretty difficult."

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sales staff," added Karen West.

Tricia has carefully chosen West Real Estate and is looking forward to working on their team. Give Tricia a call and see the difference she can make for

you.

Contact Tricia Gass at West Real Estate, 314 Main Street, Wilmington 01887, phone 978-658-4419 or email her at <WestREWilm@aol.com>

### Crowley joins Carlson R.E.

Dick Carlson, CEO of Carlson Real Estate/Better Homes and Gardens recently announced that Marianne Crowley has joined the Woburn office of the firm and will assume immediate responsibilities as a sales executive.

"We look forward to having Marianne on our dedicated team of sales professionals," said Paula Suffredini, Manager/Realtor of the Woburn Office. "She is dedicated to serving the home buying, selling and relocating needs of families in our area."

Mrs. Crowley is a lifelong resident of Woburn and lives locally with her husband, Brian, and her son Dylan. She is a graduate of Bay State College and has an extensive background in travel marketing and sales. Her previous training and skills will be useful in dealing with customers and clients in her new capacity

as a Real Estate Sales Associate.

As a Carlson Real Estate/Better Homes and Gardens sales associate, Crowley will have access to the Better Homes and Gardens Home Marketing System, Home Merchandising System, Home Buying System and Home Information System - four process-oriented approaches to buying and selling homes.

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The Real Estate Service is an operating group of Meredith Corporation, a Fortune 500 diversified media company based in Des Moines, Iowa. The corporation's flagship publication is Better Homes and Gardens magazine, one of the



Marianne Crowley

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are available for members who register before September 3, a discount of \$25 off the full convention rate of \$200. The cost for a full convention for a non-member is \$250. Single-day registration fees are \$99 for members and \$120 for non-members who register before September 3. After that a full convention registration fee is \$250 for Realtors and \$290 for non-members.

For details on the Massachusetts Association of Realtors 1999 Convention Program and to learn more about the special rates available, call MAR Customer Service at 1-800-725-6272, or access MAREALTOR.com, the association's consumer web site, at <http://www.marealtor.com>, and click on the MAR Convention icon.

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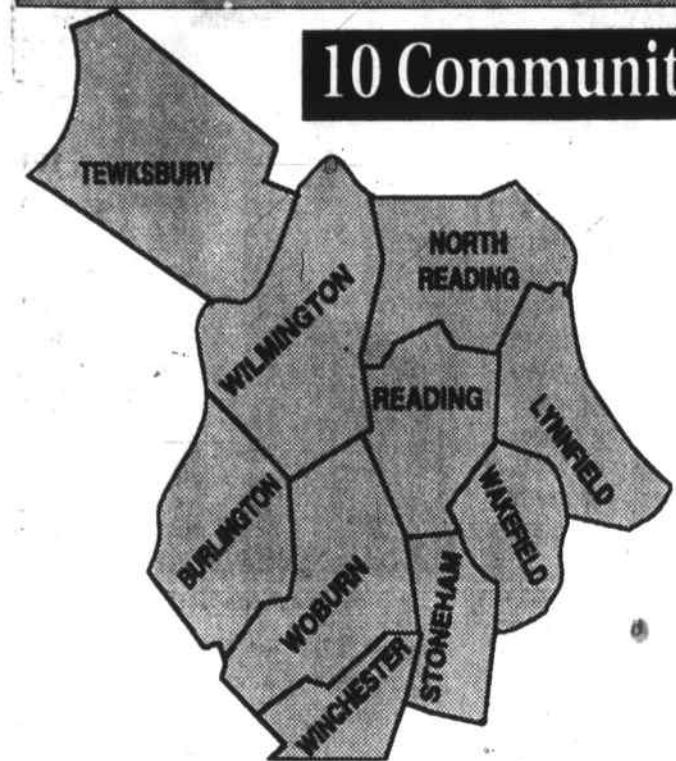
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"The contract, which in past years had been decided following May's town meeting and selectmen elections, received an early renewal after Selectmen Chair John Dunlevy took advantage of the flexibility the Tewksbury Town Charter allows. Apparently, the charter, composed by selectmen several years ago, allows the resiliency of 180 days before or after June 30 for selectmen to congregate and either support or deny the contract."

"In past years, newly elected selectmen had been faced with the task of deciding to renew a contract with the town manager, Dunlevy being new once herself,

without a real knowledge of the town manager and his overall contributions. 'This is a major flaw in the system,' Dunlevy said. She argued the fact that the current board members should make the decision for the newcomers based on their own experience."

"Dunlevy retired from town politics in April and is one of two members who was replaced on the board by fresh blood. She, therefore, noting that 40 percent of the board would be casting a vote based on little or no experience with Cressman, decided to push the date up and resolve matters before the elections.... Cressman was pleased with the results. 'I am very happy,' he said. 'It provides stability and continuity to the Town of Tewksbury. It allows us to carry out the wishes of the selectmen and the voters. It also provides stability for my family.'"

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Boston Kitchen Distributors is seeking dependable, motivated individuals. Must possess good communication skills, take initiative and use good judgement. Position will include data entry, answering phones, contact w/customers and other clerical duties. Great working environment w/competitive compensation and benefits. BKD, Inc. 134 Water St., Wakefield, MA 01880 Attn: Allyson Benedetto 781-245-3880 ext. 29. Fax: 781-245-2893.

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Experienced Home Care Nurse to be available for On-Call coverage 9pm - 8am.

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24 Hour Jobline 781.306.1009

www.winchesterhospital.com

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#### Part Time

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8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Your duties will include running a high-speed sorter, encoding, data entry, and telephone contact with customers. Data entry and/or encoding experience is a must. Banking background would be a plus.

### STAFF ACCOUNTANTS

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You will be responsible for balancing our cash accounts on a daily basis, in addition to working with the accounts payable and security safekeeping accounts. Previous work experience in an accounting department as well as a degree in accounting is required. You should have a working knowledge Microsoft Word and Excel.

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## BUSINESS

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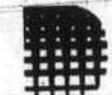
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Kens@morto.com

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Nationwide Co. seeks temporary office help for distribution of the new BELL ATLANTIC telephone directories in WOBURN, MALDEN & CHELSEA  
Call for an appt.  
800/432-3399  
Mon.-Fri. 9 am-4pm for additional information and appt.

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Hospital owned agency has several openings for FT and PT Collections Staff. Full benefits eligibility starts at 30 hours/week. We offer a positive environment and will train qualified candidates.  
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Stoneham, MA

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Monday-Friday 8:30am-12:30pm. Help keep our beautiful furniture beautiful.  
Apply Mr. G.,  
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781-935-3904 (fax)  
pasciuto@pop.tiac.net

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Good starting wages and benefits  
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Bedford, MA 01730  
(781) 275-4200  
**Lexington AlarmSystems**

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• Good working environment  
• Benefits  
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935-6277

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The Woburn Animal Hospital has some part-time openings. Evening and Weekend Shifts, 15 to 20 hours a week. Great hours for students.  
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VOLT SERVICES GROUP  
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Applicants must apply IN PERSON. Previous applicants must reapply

Monday thru Thursday  
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E.O.E. **EDI ELECTRICAL DYNAMICS INC.**

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Full Time Positions  
Available Immediately  
Salary commensurate with experience  
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Apply to  
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Please apply in person at 39-41 Lincoln St. across from train station in Reading MA or to Salem NH Location, Rte. 28, SALEM NH.

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Must have fork truck and reach truck experience. Lifting required, competitive wages, excellent benefits and incentive bonus program.

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Manufacturer of nameplates and labels has an opening for a machine operator.  
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Full or Part Time Positions  
Days, Afternoon, Evening, Weekends  
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Light warehouse duties in ladies clothing company. Flexible hours, generous discount. If interested, please call  
**S&S Industries**  
933-7694  
M-F 8-4

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\$9-\$10 Per Hour  
Mall display attendants needed. Great atmosphere. No experience necessary. Mother's hours available, retirees welcome, 35 hours week. Toll free 1-877-479-8827



*It's our 4th annual*  
**Summer photo contest**  
*...entries are rolling in!*



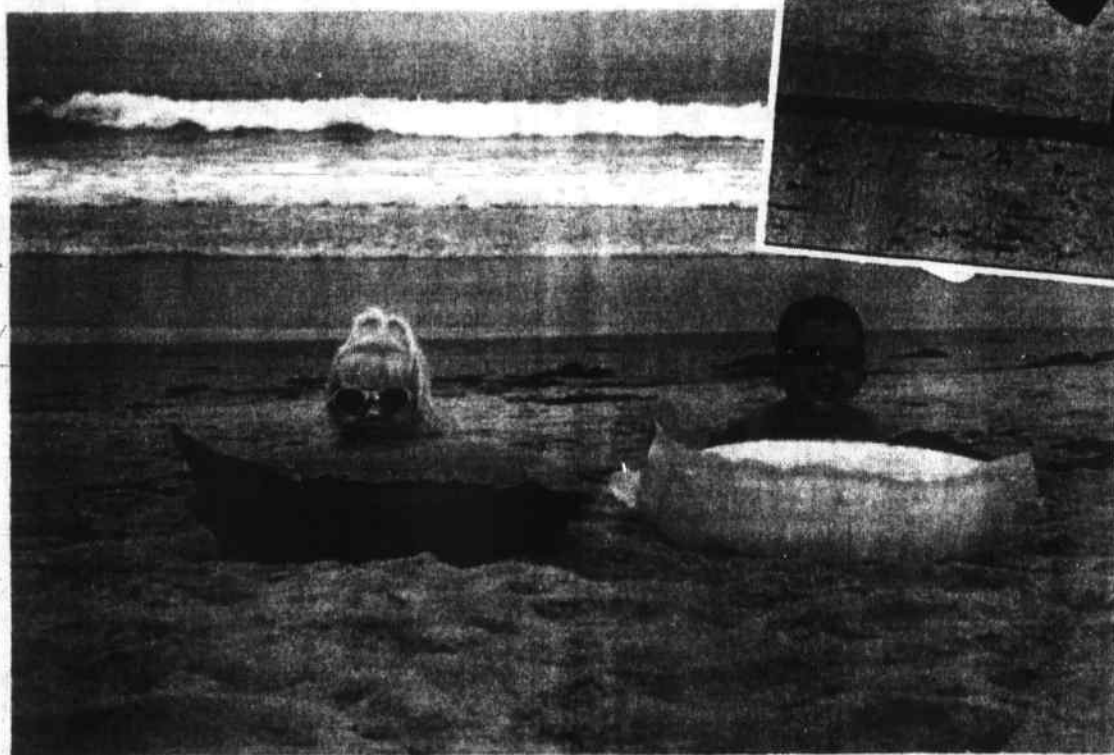
Patrick F. Jordan, IV, is shown above in this photo titled "Buried". The sandy shot was taken in Wells, Maine by Katherine Jordan, of Reading.



*The artistic work of 19 year old photographer, Julie Jamochian, is shown above. The subject, named Safia, was shot in New York City. Jamgochian is from Reading.*



Photographer, Alan Klein snaps a shot of Liz Klein and 15 month old daughter, Sarah, while taking a stroll at a beach in Florida. The family is from North Reading.



*Photographer, Julie O'Connell, of Stoneham, captures Kaylie O'Connell and Ryan Frank relaxing at surfs edge, at Moody Beach, in Maine.*

**The Fourth Annual Middlesex East Summer Photo Contest** is now underway and readers are

# Send Us Your Photos

encouraged to submit their favorite photo or photos to win up to \$100 in prizes and a chance to maybe have your photo published.

The rules are pretty simple: your favorite classic convertible or a nice gooey ice cream that your grandchild is wearing. They're all great and our readers love to see them.

There are two major categories, one for general photos and a second for juniors 18 and under. No

chair at the beach. Anything to do with summer will qualify. How about professional photographers please. The deadline is Thursday, September 9th.

There will be a first, second and third place prize in the overall category and one overall winner in the junior category.

We will accept color or black and white photos and will make every effort to allow you to pick-up your photo at a convenient location at the end of the contest. We reserve the right to publish your photo once submitted.

We also ask that you clearly mark the photos on the back stating your name, phone number, address, the

name of the persons or things in photos and where the photo was taken. Pretty simple!

There is an advertisement elsewhere in today's paper spelling out the details in full.

So, dig out those photos, select your favorite or favorites and enter today, you've got nothing to lose and maybe you'll even win a prize. We love to see your photos and in our last contest we had a great variety and volume of photos and are looking forward to a similar number this time.

Mail entries to:  
Middlesex East  
Photo Contest  
P.O. Box 240  
Reading, Ma. 01867

## Woodchips From S-2

**Andrew White and Lauren Senesi all of WILMINGTON.**

Pat Millward, Christopher Snow, Kevin Andriolo, Stefanie Kushnieruk, Joy Tammaro, Jeffrey Diaz, Eric Mehigan, Melissa Doherty, Nicole Leboeuf, Kimberly Barbosa all of TEWKSBURY.

Katie O'Neill, Danielle Perkins, Sean McDevitt, Kim Russell, Kevin Butler, Keith Butler, Eric Stedman, Marianne Brown, Kathrynne Tone and James Bonfanti all of NORTH READING.

Nancy Rooney, Dennis Murphy, Rep. Brian Cresta, Senator Chip Clancy, Rep. Steven Angelo, Robert James, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Campbell, Christopher Schott, Jesse Conklin, John Pascucci all of LYNNFIELD.

**DREAMBOATS** Cheryl Lee and Julie Yentile both of **WILMINGTON**, Kristen Wroblewski and Kelly Welch both of **NORTH READING**, Amanda Derry of **STONEHAM**, Samantha Crocker of **WOBURN**.

**SUPERSTARS, Michael Fullerton of STONEHAM, Taryn O'Neill of WOBURN, Phil Campbell of LYNNFIELD, Jack Cushing of WILMINGTON and Kelly McKenna of WOBURN.**

The School committee members were debating the feasibility of installing seat-belts in the school buses. The discussion was getting no-where. The chairman asked a veteran bus driver seated in the audience if he would care to give his expert opinion? He got up slowly, a bandaged right ear clearly visible, and in measured speech said, "seat-belts are fine BUT, in the bus I drive, STRAIGHT JACKETS would be a lot safer for the driver.

My Aunt Nora, doesn't realize that because of, "El Nino" the farmers have had a very poor

growing season so-the price of fruit and vegetables are necessarily HIGH. She picked up a head of lettuce, then told the produce manager, "\$1.49 cents for this head of lettuce? Well, you know what YOU can do with it!" The produce manger smiled and replied, "I can't right now lady, there's a "\$1.39 Cauliflower ahead of you."

Third grade teacher, Miss Maria Cole, told my niece Jane, (who was chewing gum and had her foot out in the aisle) "Jane please, take the gum OUT of your mouth and PUT your FOOT in!"

My nephew Dennis Tully got a Silver Medal for singing. They promised to change it for a GOLD MEDAL if he "QUIT Singing!"

Joe Ravida told a beautiful young girl, "I will only marry a girl who can COOK, SEW and keeps the house NEAT and CLEAN." "In that case," the young lady replied, "come to my house tonight, I'll introduce you to our MAID."

I'm firmly convinced that some kids are spoiled because we can't SPANK their GRANDMOTHER!

My cousin Angelo was in the 3rd grade for three years. His father was in the 4th grade and he warned Angelo, "if YOU go ahead of me, I'll kill you."

I asked an old timer sitting in a rocking chair on a veranda in Vermont, "Have you lived here all your life Sir?" He smiled and replied, "Not YET," and he kept on rocking away.

A doctor's girl friend broke off their engagement. He demanded that she return all the expensive presents (necklace, ring and watch). She refused - so, he sent her a bill for 85 house calls.

I helped Kathy paint the kitchen ceiling yesterday. I held the step-ladder for her.